Welcome back!

General Reminders:
- Children should have an ink pen AND blue ink cartridges in school at all times.
- Children should have their P.E. kits in school, including a tracksuit, at all times.
- They should also have their reading record book in school every day.
- School bags should be either string bags or book bags, not rucksacks or other bags. Space is limited and your child’s bag should fit into their tray.

Homework reminder
In both classes, maths and English homework is given out on a Wednesday to be handed in on the following Monday. In Mrs Davis’ maths set homework will be put on Db primary and completed in a maths homework book, which will need to be handed in on a Monday. Children are to still use Mathletics once a week choosing their own activities or completing Live Mathletics challenges. Miss Bishop’s class will continue to have their homework set on Mathletics, to be completed by Monday of each week.

Reading reminder
Each classroom has reading ladders to ensure the children read a range of genres. Your child is expected to read at least ten minutes every day with an adult. Books will be collected and reads counted every Friday. One read equates to one session spent with your child reading. Books can be changed at any point if your child is really not enjoying their book.

This term’s subject areas
Our theme this term is Rotten Romans. We will be learning about the Romans and how they lived in Britain and Italy. Please help your children with any extra bits of research etc. they may need to do. We will be visiting Colchester Castle in February.

Please note that whole class recorders will take place after Easter, as the children are going to be focussing on learning the songs for the Year 3/4 performance this term.

PE Spring Term
Pine: Monday - Dance
    Thursday – Gymnastics and Swimming
Holly: Monday – Dance
        Tuesday – Outdoor games

Earrings and Hair accessories
The only jewellery permitted in school is simple stud earrings which the child should be able to remove themselves for swimming and PE. The girls must wear their hair tied back at school and the hair bands/ bobbles etc. must be either blue or black.

Mrs Davis and Miss Bishop