Year 3 Summer Term Topic Letter

Welcome to a new school term!
This term our topic is ‘Journey to the Centre of the Earth’ which will include the study of rocks and soils, world geography and adventure stories. In music, we will be learning the recorder on Thursday afternoons and participating in whole class drumming lessons on Monday afternoons. Our Family assemblies are in June - Holly bay will perform at 10:15am on Wednesday 28th June and Pine bay on Friday 30th June.

P.E.
Pine class will be swimming every Wednesday afternoon (started 26th April) and will have outdoor P.E. on Tuesday. Holly class will have P.E. on both Mondays (indoor) and Tuesdays (outdoor).

Here are few reminders about school rules and equipment.

Pens
Please ensure that your child still has a fountain pen in school. In both classes, we have a large number of children who regularly have no pen.

Water Bottles
Every child should bring a named water bottle to school every day. There are water stations where children can refill their bottles if necessary.

Summer precautions
Ensure your child has a sun hat and sun cream as appropriate.

Uniform
Most children look very smart but a few are not wearing correct uniform. Trainers are not allowed; children should wear smart, flat school shoes. Girls' socks should be plain white and boys' socks should be plain black or grey. Girls' summer dresses/divided skirt dresses should be knee length. EVERY ITEM OF SCHOOL UNIFORM SHOULD BE NAMED

Hairstyles
Extreme hairstyles are not appropriate for school. The use of styling products should be kept to a minimum and children should not have decorative patterns cut into their hair or have hair coloured or dyed. Girls' hair accessories should be black or blue.

PE Kit
Summer PE kit consists of a white t-shirt, black shorts and trainers. Some children only have plimsolls which are not suitable for outdoors. For chilly days you may still want to include a black tracksuit. EVERY ITEM OF PE KIT SHOULD BE NAMED

Bags
School bags should be a book bag (Reception and KS1) or a drawstring type rucksack (KS2) as space is very limited in our cloakrooms.

Thank you for helping with these issues to make things run as smoothly as possible.

Mrs Rusby and Miss Bishop