

# Bude Primary Academy Head of School – Mrs Sarah Robinson

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022

Dear Parents / Carers,

We have had another fantastic half term, full of lots of new learning experiences. We wish you and your families a wonderful half term, hopefully taking part in some of the Platinum Jubilee celebrations. This letter will give you a brief overview of some of the key information for next half term, including the trips and events that are coming up.

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Maths	Writing (links to spelling)	Reading	Project: Sow, Grow and Farm	Science Growing up and getting old	<b>PSHE</b> Growing and changing
Daily fluency sessions & Fortnightly arithmetic lessons Properties of Shape Position & direction Converting measures Measure: volume	Balanced arguments Regular spelling sessions including words ending in: -tious (sounds like shus) -cial or -tial (sounds like shul) As well as lots of revision of the spelling rules we've learnt this year.	Short texts, fiction and non-fiction, most linked to our project VIPERS focus (vocabulary, inference, prediction, evaluation, retrieval, summary)	This term (summer 1 and summer 2) Year 5 will learn about the features and characteristics of land use in agricultural regions across the world, with a specific focus on tropical climates.	In this topic children describe the changes as humans develop into old age.	The children develop their understanding of their feelings, learn more about how their bodies change through puberty and will discuss stereotypes. Should you have any questions relating to the content of these lessons, then please speak with your child's class teacher.

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### PE days – Thursdays and Fridays – Athletics and Rounders

Children will continue to come to school in their full PE kit on their PE days. This includes their: turquoise PE t-shirt (with embroidered school logo), black shorts, trainers and turquoise PE zipped hoodie (or another hoodie from home). Please make sure to dress appropriately for the weather, bring plenty of water and a hat and sun cream in warmer weather.

#### Trips / visitors

Sports trip - 15<sup>th</sup> June – information to follow! Farm & Country discovery day – 30<sup>th</sup> June – information to follow! Beach Trip – 15<sup>th</sup> July – information to follow!

#### **Home Learning**

Thank you for continuing to read with your child at home. The expectation for this is four times a week, which we know can sometimes be difficult. For the more able readers, we encourage independent reading, and ask that an adult questions their child on what they have read before signing the reading record. If reading at home is a problem for any reason, then please speak to the class teacher.

Maths and reading tasks will continue to be set on a Monday with homework due in on the following Monday.

#### Library books

Thank you for your support with keeping the library and classroom books safe and well cared for. Crackington change their library books on a Tuesday Northcott change their library books on a Thursday

**Useful links:** School website - Bude Primary Academy - Juniors (budejuniors.org.uk) Follow our Facebook and Twitter pages: Facebook – Bude Primary Academy – Juniors Twitter handle – @budeprimary

We are looking forward to another half term jam packed with amazing learning experiences. Thank you in advance for all of your support. As always, if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Year 5 Team Mr Osborne and Mrs Askham

