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June Holiday Topic Homework

Dear Families,

What a busy term we have had! We've had a great time learning about minibeasts and growing and we had our trip to Cogges Farm too. We are very proud of all the children for what they have achieved this term.

Our topic after the half term holiday is called 'Big Wide World' – we will find out about the world in which we live. We will learn about different climates and explore habitats, including their flora and fauna. We will locate the United Kingdom on a world map and compare life in the United Kingdom with life elsewhere. We will also learn about caring for the environment, both locally and beyond.

We have created a Topic Overview to give you a taste of everything we will be covering next term, including how you can help your child at home. This overview is also available on the school website.

In preparation for our topic, we would like both Nursery and Reception children to complete one piece of good quality topic homework which needs to be brought into school on the first day back – Monday 3rd June. Each child is encouraged to share and discuss their work with a group of peers before we incorporate it into a topic display.

Topic Homework

- 1) Find some photographs of a time you went on holiday. Where did you go? How did you get there? What did you do while you were there? Put together a display of your photos.
- 2) Find out about different animals that live in different parts of the world. Can you locate where they live on a map of the world?
- 3) Choose your favourite animal from anywhere in the world. Draw a picture of it and tell me 3 interesting facts about it.
- 4) Draw a picture of a famous landmark from around the world, e.g. the Eiffel Tower, Empire State Building, Taj Mahal, Burj Khalifa or find your own. What can you tell me about it?
- 5) Watch an episode of Where in the World? (CBeebies). Write about what you learn about life in other countries.

Please encourage your child to share stories with you every day as this really helps with their language and literacy development. Reception children should also continue to read their reading books. Don't forget to use the White Rose 1 Minute Maths App to help with maths fluency too. There will also be some phonics homework on Class Dojo as normal.

Please can I also remind you that now the weather is getting warmer, the children should bring a named hat to school and sunscreen should be applied before they come to school in the morning.

We hope you have a lovely, restful holiday.

Best wishes,

The Pegasus Team

