



Penguin News

Friday 5th September

Welcome to Perfect Penguins class! The children have settled in very well these past few days and it has been lovely getting to know them all. I have been impressed with how quickly they have adapted to their new rules and routines.

PE

As you may already be aware, PE lessons for our class are on a Monday and Friday. Please make sure the children have the appropriate kit for both sessions and wear their PE kits to school on these days. Mondays are tag rugby with the sports coach and Fridays are gymnastics.

Reading

All of the children have now completed their Accelerated Reader test, so have a reading book to read in school and at home. I will be taking their reading records in on a Friday to check that they have read at least four times that week at home.

Spellings

Every child has been given a booklet containing this half-term's spellings. Each list is clearly dated with the week commencing, so that children know which words to practise. We will have a spelling test every Friday. Copies of the spelling lists are also available on Google Classroom.

Topic

The children have been introduced to our new topic -Wild Waters (Rivers)- and have started to share their existing knowledge. Next week, all children will bring home the POWer Projects homework sheets. The aim is to collect 5 points! There are lots of tasks and activities that they can choose from, and we love sharing their work with the rest of the class. Just bring your projects to school when you're ready to share them, or you could upload them to the class page on Google Classroom. These will be due in by the 17th October.

Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS)

Every Friday morning will be our times tables test. The children should have their login details for TTRS in their reading records. If not, please come and see me. Times tables homework will start from next week and will be explained in next week's newsletter.

We will be learning some exciting topics this year, which we can't wait to share with you in these weekly newsletters.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask!

Have a lovely weekend!

Miss Pullen