



# QUEENSWAY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We are excited to get started again in Term 3 and would like to take this opportunity to give you a little insight into the learning that your child will be taking part in over Terms 3 and 4.

## **Topic**

This term our topic is learning all about 'Journeys' and we will be looking at various ways of travelling and using lots of stories to help us do this. We will also be taking part in a Drama workshop this term which will link with this topic.

## **Maths:**

We are going to be focusing lots on number and calculation this term. The children will be exploring different addition and subtraction problems and using a variety of equipment to do this.

## **Literacy:**

As mentioned above, our stories will be heavily linked with our journeys topic and we will be looking at both fiction and non-fiction texts this term.

## **PE days**

Our regular PE slot has been moved and will now be taking place on a Tuesday morning. All children will need an indoor PE kit of navy shorts and a plain white T-shirt. If the children have pierced ears, please either remove them on PE days or provide surgical tape to cover them.

## **Wow Moments**

Please continue to let us know about Wow moments by using our Wow slips. The children really love sharing them and it is lovely for us to celebrate these special moments with them.

## **2Simple:**

It has been wonderful to see some comments being inputted in response to the 2Simple profiles which have been emailed out. Just to remind you that if you would like to include moments and photos from home, then you simply reply to any email with your child's 2Simple profile.

## **Homework**

We are going to be continuing to send home two books each week; one is linked to your child's phonics sounds and will be a text that they should be reading to you in order to practice the sounds from their Phonics lessons. The other book is a book to promote the enjoyment of reading and is a text that should be shared between you.

If you have any questions about any of the above please talk to staff either in the morning when you arrive with your child or after school.

Best wishes  
Mrs Guntrip, Mrs Pile and Mrs Tyler  
Class Teachers