

# Pelicans Newsletter

Welcome back Pelicans and we hope you all enjoyed the Easter break. We are sad to say goodbye to Miss Joseph but I and the team are looking forward to supporting your Pelicans for the remainder of the academic year.

Ms Hills, Mrs Norris and Miss Menzies.

We shall also benefit from the support of Mrs Brown and Miss Kune at various times.



## What to expect this term!

This term our topic is 'Land and Water'. As our Geography focus, we will be looking at locating the World's seven continents and five oceans. Within Art we shall be learning to print in the style of Vincent Van Gogh and science will be filled with plant learning. Children will enjoy the opportunity to grow their own plants too.

PE will be on a Friday as before and will focus on athletics, this term. Music will also take place on Friday.

We shall be encouraging routines, expectations with the continued use of house points and dojos. Also we shall highlight the children's super learning in order to have their work included in the Golden Celebration Book.

Should you need to discuss anything, please arrange a meeting through the reception staff.

## Reading

Reading is an integral part of you child's learning. The aim is that all children read at home at least **3 times a week**. Remember to write in the purple book when your child has read.

## Home learning

Home learning will be set on a Friday in the children's home learning book and via Doodlemaths/ Doodletables. Please ensure that your children are accessing doodle maths regularly. You can find their log in detail at the back of their reading record.

## Dates for the diary:

- 20<sup>th</sup> April - Term 5 begins
- 8<sup>th</sup> May - Godinton House Science trip
- 22<sup>nd</sup> May - Term 5 ends
- 1<sup>st</sup> June Staff Development

