Luke 24:13-35 On the Road to Emmaus

Two travellers are transformed and enriched by sharing their journey with a guide. We view our work to be similar in making a difference to future lives. We travel together on our journey of transformation and commit our school to always being supportive, nurturing, and challenging.

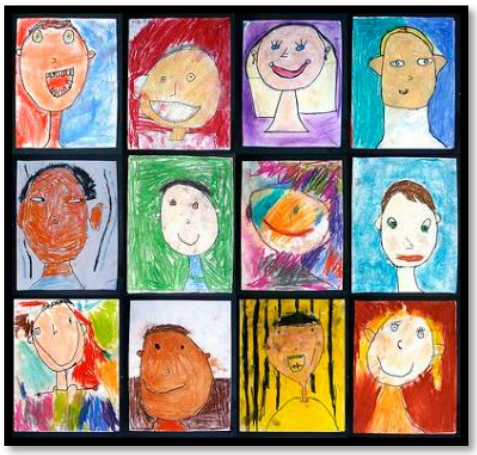
Regents class – September 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the start of a new school year. I hope you have all enjoyed your summer holidays and I am sure I will hear all about what the children have been up to. I wanted to take the opportunity to share some important information with yourselves, including information about the learning which will be happening as well as important information you need to know about daily life at school.

We're excited to begin our new topic **"Marvellous Me!"**, where children will be exploring what makes each of us unique and celebrating who we are, how we grow, and how we connect with others. Children will talk about their families and how they are the same or different from others. They'll learn how people change as they grow, create a personal timeline, and explore toys past and present, comparing what children play with now and what their parents or grandparents enjoyed.

Children will explore Christian ideas about creation and what it means to be human. We'll read stories from the Bible, including Genesis, and discuss how people's beliefs shape their understanding of the world. Children will think about why humans are special and how we can care for others and our planet.

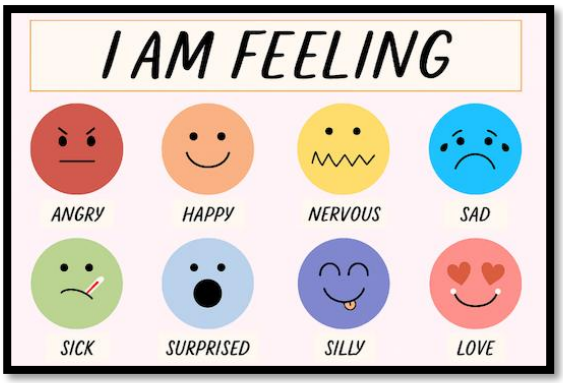


Children will learn to identify and name parts of the human body and discover the five senses — sight, hearing, smell, taste, and touch. They'll explore how we use these senses every day and how to keep our bodies healthy.

Children will learn what a portrait is and explore how artists show feelings through colour and expression. They'll study the work of Picasso, Paul Klee, Andy Warhol and Andy Goldsworthy, creating portraits using paint, collage, oil pastels, watercolour backgrounds and nature.

Children will learn how technology is used in everyday life, at home, in school, and in the community. They'll practise using computers

safely and respectfully. We'll talk about how to keep personal information private and what to do if something online worries them.



Children will learn to recognise and name different feelings, understand that emotions can change, and explore ways to manage big feelings. We'll talk about what helps us feel good, how to ask for help, and how to support others who might be sad or worried.

Through singing, rhythm and body percussion, children will explore how music can express feelings. They'll practise keeping a steady beat, experiment with tempo and pitch, and perform simple songs and poems using their voices and actions.

In **P.E.**, we will be focusing on movement. Children will develop balance, agility, and coordination through running, jumping, throwing, and catching. They'll practise travelling with a ball, changing direction, and playing simple team games. We'll focus on teamwork, fair play, and following rules. Please ensure PE kits are back in school for the first lesson on 9th September. It is important that your child has a **full, named PE kit** that can be left in school for the week, so they don't miss out on any sessions. P.E. will likely take place **outdoors**, so please make sure your child has appropriate clothing.

The children will have PE:

- **Wednesday** with Boston United
- **Thursday** with Miss Maclean

Curriculum information

Information about our school curriculum is available on the school website. This includes key policies, each subject's intent, how learning progresses across year groups are medium term plans outlining the rationale of 'why this, why now'. Please visit the curriculum section for full and up to date details.

How You Can Support at Home

You can help your child's learning by:

- Talk about family memories and look at old photos together.
- Share or play a favourite childhood toy or game.
- Encourage your child to notice how they've grown and changed.
- Discuss how technology is used safely at home.
- Dance together to a favourite song talk about how it makes you feel.

- Go on a walk and discuss things you can see, hear, touch, smell maybe even taste!
- Encourage children to care for others and how we can do this.

Monday afternoon

On Monday afternoons, **Mrs Parnell** will be teaching the class. For any **important messages**, please contact the school office via **MCAS** or by calling **01205 460547**. Please still pass on any questions or worries to me via MCAS or in person, and I will get back to you as soon as possible.

Homework

Homework is sent home each Friday and should be returned by the following Friday so Dojo points can be awarded. Children also have access to Sumdog (logins are on their homework folders).

Reading books

Reading regularly has a huge impact on vocabulary, comprehension and confidence. Children who read **three times a week or more** will receive a prize from the dippy box on Fridays. The amount will increase every term. **For some reason the app weekly cycle goes from a Friday-Thursday, so please be aware of this and make sure to log all weekly reading by then.**

Phonics Books

Your child will bring home a phonics book matched to their reading level each Friday. Please make sure books are in school every day so they can be used in reading sessions. A new book will be issued **on a Friday**, once the previous one is returned. A £4 fine will occur to any books not handed back in.

Kind regards, Miss Maclean and Miss Colclough