

Our Topic

Our whole school topic this half term is all about celebrating the wonderful work of **Roald Dahl**. In Venus Class we will be taking the book

'The Enormous Crocodile' and fitting in our English and topic work around this. In **Geography** we will be learning all about the continents and oceans of the world and the animals that live there.

In **Science** we will be learning about different wild animals, looking at their features and how they are similar and different. We will be classifying them as carnivores, herbivores or omnivores and considering what makes an animal 'alive.'

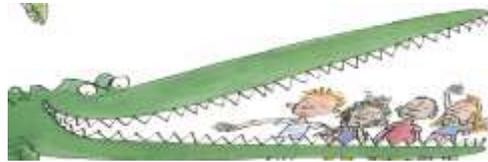
In **R.E** lessons, children will learn about, ⁵⁴'Myself, who am I?' and Harvest celebrations.

Our **Computing** unit this term is called, 'We are Treasure Hunters' Children will learn about giving instructions to a programmable toy they will also make their own set of instructions.

In **Maths** we will be counting, ordering and comparing numbers. We will be adding and subtracting numbers and solving problems.

Roald Dahl

The Enormous Crocodile



Welcome back and what a great start we have had to our new school year. We are all looking forward to the new challenges ahead in year 1.



The adults working in Class Venus are:

Miss. Ellis

Mrs Cockerham

Mrs McCormack

Mrs Calvert.

Please come and see us if you have any concerns about your child.

P.E

Venus class will have their P.E lessons on **Tuesdays** and **Wednesdays**. Children will need a white t- shirt, blue/ black shorts and P.E shoes. All ear rings must be removed for P.E. Please ensure that all P.E kit is clearly labelled with your child's name. As there may be occasions when children will do P.E on other days it is helpful if your child's P.E kit is brought to school on Mondays and left at school all week.

Reading

We are having a really big push in school to encourage children to enjoy reading and to read more both at home and at school. Please try and listen to your child read daily. In class we have a Super Hero reading wall. Don't forget to sign your child's reading record book and on Fridays we will collect in the reading record books and count how many times they have read at home. Your child will move along the super hero wall collecting prizes on their way to reaching 100 reads at home!!