

## **Parkstone Primary School**

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Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September

Dear Parents and Carers.

Welcome back to the new term. We hope you have enjoyed the Summer holidays!

This term our topic is The Vikings. This topic focuses on both history and geography skills looking at the countries in Scandinavia and why the Vikings invaded Britain and the impact it had on the people living at the time. On the back of this letter, you will find more details on the objectives the pupils will be covering in all subjects this term.

We have arranged for a pop-up planetarium to visit us in school on Wednesday 23rd November. We hope this will enrich our Earth and Space topic in Autumn 2 for science. More details to follow.

## A few reminders:

- Please ensure all pupils have their full P.E. kit for both indoor and outdoor P.E in school on Mondays and to be taken home on Fridays. Outdoor PE is timetabled for Tuesday afternoons but if the weather is bad, this may happen on another day. Our indoor PE sessions are timetabled for Wednesday afternoons. Please make sure long hair is tied back and any child wearing ear studs must either be able to take them out or have medical tape to cover them up.
- Sandshoes are part of our school uniform and must be worn in the school. Please ensure your child has black sandshoes to change into in order to keep their classroom environment clean and tidy and they are labelled with your child's name.
- Reading at home needs to be completed at least three times a week. Please sign your child's reading record as evidence of the reading taking place. Please bring reading records to school every day.
- Year 5 homework will be weekly, sent out on a Thursday and due back in school the following Tuesday.

Thank you for your support,

Miss Harris and Mrs Jacobs



















