

Barn Owls  
Summer 2021  
Newsletter



Class Teachers:  
Miss Ojelade and Mrs Paffett  
Teaching Assistants:  
Miss Moore and Mrs Clifton

We are currently not able to hold face-to-face meetings with parents. If you wish to speak to Miss Ojelade or Mrs Paffett please telephone the school office.

Welcome back to the Summer Term. We hope you had a restful Easter break. We are very much looking forward to being all together again.

This term we are going to be learning about 'Planet Earth'. We started our topic by looking at the work of the World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF) and voted as a class to adopt a giant panda. We are looking forward to receiving regular updates.

In English we will be reading the book 'Dear Greenpeace'. Our focus will be on writing letters. You can listen to the story here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IJbEtAthaPk>

In maths we will be focusing on addition, subtraction, multiplication and division strategies to ensure the children are secure before the end of the year. Learning our times tables is also really important., particularly for our Year 3s.

In Science , we will be looking at growing seeds, bulbs and vegetables for healthy eating. We will also look at climate change and the effects on endangered animals.

In topic, we will be focusing on geography including map work, learning about continents, habitats and how to look after the planet.

In French, we will be learning to talk about ourselves and our family. We will also recap numbers to 30, days and months of the year.

Forest Schools starts for Barn Owls after half term on the 8th June!



## Home Learning

All home learning will be posted on Seesaw.  
Please login to see details.

Further ideas to try at home:

- David Attenborough <https://www.ourplanet.com/en/video/how-to-save-our-planet>
- Create a video about how to save the planet
- Write a letter to David Attenborough
- Create a poster of how we can help save the planet in school and in our community
- Litter Walk/ Beach Clean
- Reduce your waste at home and in school and keep a record of this
- Design and create a dish at home which uses up leftover food so it is used and not thrown away
- In the supermarket find out which products have travelled the least to get to our plates, which have travelled the furthest, which packets are recyclable,

## Books Linked to our Topic

