

Things I need to remember:

Reading books can be changed every day, if they have been read.

Children who read to someone at home 3 times per week will earn 3 Castle Coins! Please record in reading record.

Monday	Book bag with reading book and reading record Homework
Tuesday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
Wednesday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
Thursday	Book bag with reading book and reading record
Friday	Book bag with reading book and reading record PE kit including trainers.

Class dates to remember:

Please check the termly newsletter for upcoming events and important dates

Homework:

	Given:	Returned the following:
Monday	New Spellings Spelling Shed TTrockstars Reading	Monday (for test)

Ongoing homework project -

You have been stranded on a desert island. How will you survive?

Can you create a model shelter you would use? Could you write a diary of how you survived. Could you write a guide to help someone else survive?

What does your desert island look like? Could you create a model or picture?

Could you write a poem to describe what your island is like?

Please note: children may be given additional homework focused on times tables and spelling to help towards achieving individual targets

Exceeding Expectations,
Raising Aspirations

Autumn 1
Issue



Castle View Primary

Survival



Class: Endeavour

Mr Kernaghan, Miss Parsley and Mr Wray

We are learning:

English and Reading

Spelling and grammar: The children will be learning spelling, punctuation and grammar rules to apply to their reading and writing.

Adventure stories: We will be writing adventure stories based on *Kenzuki's Kingdom* by Michael Morpurgo.

Explanation texts: We will be researching 'how to survive on a desert island' and writing an explanation text.

Biography: We will look at the life and work of Charles Darwin to support our understanding of evolution in Science.

Communication and

Language (Speaking and Listening)

Each child will have a perfect partner who they will talk to during discussions, problem solving and reasoning activities, to share their ideas with before they feed back to the class.

Physical Education

We will be thinking all about invasion games this term. We will focus on the basics of passing, throwing and shooting. We will conclude with attacking and defending techniques before applying our skills to games.

PSED (Personal, Social and emotional Development)

In our first term back at school we will be discussing class rules, learning behaviour and aspirations for the school year ahead.

We constantly promote democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, mutual respect for and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith.

Our learning is around the topic
evolution, habitats and surviving on a
deserted island.

Music and Arts and Design

We will be selecting from a wide range of materials and components in order to build a den or shelter for a deserted islander.

Through our research on survival and evolution, we will be creating camouflaged textiles using dyeing techniques. These will link to our shelters we have built.

Mathematics

We will be focusing on number to develop our understanding of place value including comparing and ordering numbers.

We will build on our knowledge of place value by focusing on formal written methods in addition and subtraction as well as problem solving.

Science

We will be exploring how living things have changed over time and how fossils provide information about what inhabited our Earth millions of years ago.

We will investigate how animals and plants have adapted to their environment and the advantages of this.

We will be looking at how the offspring of different animals vary in comparison to their parents.

Geography

We will be using different types of maps and location knowledge to locate the world's countries, climate zones, biomes, vegetation belts, rivers and weather patterns.