



Our Lady of Lourdes RC Primary School

...let your light shine!

Dear Parent/Carer,

I can't believe we are in the summer term of this academic year already, and what a busy and fun filled term it will be! It is so lovely to have the children back in our classroom at Our Lady of Lourdes and they have settled well back into their routines.

This term, we will be learning about the Ancient Greeks and will cover a range of texts throughout. We will be reading our class novel called 'Here Comes Hercules!' by Stella Tarakson alongside a range of non-fiction texts and Ancient Greek mythology which we will use to produce some fabulous writing within our English and history lessons.

In maths, we will be developing and consolidating our fraction knowledge which will include comparing and ordering fractions. We will also be having lots of fun taking part in practical maths activities to develop our measuring skills, calculating length and perimeter, and exploring 2-D and 3-D shapes.

Reading still remains a high priority in school. It is important that children are provided with the opportunity to read frequently and such opportunities can come in many forms! The children are now familiar with the programme 'Reading Plus' which they are able to access at home and at school. There is an expectation that children access Reading Plus at home as much as they can alongside taking part in guided reading sessions in school.

P.E. takes place on a Thursday and Friday. We ask that the children come to school in their PE/ outdoor learning kit which includes their school P.E top, a school jumper, tracksuit bottoms and trainers. Please can you make sure that all of your child's belongings are clearly labelled.

If you have any questions or worries, please don't hesitate to contact me by using my school email address: j.brack300@ourladyoflourdes.durham.sch.uk .

Thank you for your continued support.

Many thanks,

Miss Brack