## Oak Class Newsletter Term 2

Hello and welcome to the term 2 newsletter for Oak Class.

It has been really lovely to meet more of you at parent evenings. It was so nice to get such positive comments, reflected in the children eagerly bringing things in from home. We have had so many stories and research projects done at home that we now have a folder for work that the children can share in class....so keep them coming!



We have enjoyed our Romans topic and thank you to all those parents who have taken their children to The Roman Baths and Roman villas, including a villa on the Isle of Wight! We've enjoyed sharing in the children's visits. As our history topic on the Romans comes to an end, we're going to be studying a geography topic on the U.K so look out for the knowledge organiser and supporting your child at home will really help.

We continue to read The Firework-Maker's Daughter and use it as a starting point for our writing including diary entries and instructions.

Achievers' assemblies are on Fridays and this is a good opportunity to bring in trophies and certificates which the children have earned outside school. Congratulations to;

William for his piano certificate, rugby boot laces and rugby trophy.

Teddy for his 10 metre swimming badge and Tae Kwan-do certificate.

Lottie for her piano certificate for "dedication"

Bailey and Mickee for their "Man of the Match" football trophies.

A pupil for her silver Blue Peter badge to add to her growing collection.

A special mention too for Amelia R. As we mark Children in Need, how lovely that she has taken it upon herself to form a playground group of fundraising ideas to help those in need! Christian compassion in action!





As a school we've entered into the Mathletics' Numeracy Challenge  $(16^{th} - 20^{th})$  this competition gives the children the opportunity to compete on an international platform and is great fun. For the size of our school, we usually do very well. Please encourage your child to engage in lots of Mathletics activities over the next week to do even better this year!