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Reference: Autumn Term Launch Days

Dear Parents,

Following the summer holiday, children will return to school on Wednesday 2nd September.

Monday 7th September will be the launch day for our topic. Children are invited to come into school in any costumes linked to their topic, and during the launch day, they will complete exciting activities to engage them in their theme for the term. More detail about our Autumn topics, including our recovery curriculum designed to settle children back into school, will be added to our school website for the start of term. However, in the meantime, here is a brief overview of each topic to enable families to think about possible launch day costumes:

Robin Class (Reception/Year 1) and Hummingbirds (Nursery)

Robin Class will be completing a topic called 'All About Me'. Children could dress up as things that they enjoy, such as their favourite food, favourite cartoon character or their favourite hobby. They might want to dress up as something they would like to be when they are older. Children will also be learning all about their bodies, so they could dress up as a skeleton!

Skylark Class (Year 2):

Skylark's class topic will be 'Inventions'. Children could dress up as a great invention that has changed our lives – such as the TV, mobile phone or the fridge! They will especially be focusing on how toys have developed through the ages, so they could dress as something linked to a favourite toy. Children will also be learning about space travel as part of this topic, so they could dress as an astronaut or a rocket!

Kingfisher Class (Year 3/4):

Kingfisher's class topic will be 'The Industrial Revolution'. Children could dress as a child from the late 18th century, or as a child who did one of the many challenging jobs of that time – a factory worker, chimney sweep, or someone working in a coal mine!

Owl Class (Year 5/6):

In Owl Class, the topic will be 'Earth and Space'. Children could dress as astronauts, rockets, planets or scientists.

We hope that lots of children will take part in this opportunity to really get involved in our new topic in such an enjoyable way. We have provided Summer Holiday projects linked to these new topics, just in case your child would like to get prepared for the new term!

Best wishes,

Deborah Sadler
Headteacher

