



# Ravens Class Newsletter – This Term's Update!

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you've had a lovely start to the term! Here's everything you need to know about what's happening in **Ravens Class** over the coming weeks  

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## No Swimming or Bikes This Term

Just a quick reminder that we **won't** be having **swimming on Wednesdays** or **bike sessions on Fridays** this term.


   Please **do not send swimming kits** in with your child.

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## P.E. with Coach Elliot – Wednesdays & Mondays



We're so excited to welcome **Coach Elliot** on **Wednesday afternoons** for energetic and fun P.E. sessions!

 P.E. will also continue on **Monday afternoons** as usual.

 Please make sure your child has their **P.E. kit** in school on both days.



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## Literacy – Focus on *Beegu*

In Literacy, we're diving into the heartwarming story "**Beegu**" by **Alexis Deacon**  



We'll be exploring themes of friendship and belonging, and using the story to inspire:

-  **Descriptive writing**



-  **Character feelings and thoughts**
-  **Weekend news writing** – Please send in **photos** and a **short note** via **Class Dojo** about your child's weekend



We're also practising:

-  **Letter formation**
-  **Finger spaces**
- **= Full stops and capital letters**

## **Maths – Time & Money**

In Maths, we're focusing on **telling the time**  and learning how to recognise and use **money** 




To bring this learning to life, we'll be visiting a **local café every Friday morning**, where the children can practise using coins and making choices.

 Please send in a **£2 donation each Friday** so your child can join in. Thank you!

## **Thursday Café – With Canaries Class**

Every **Thursday morning**, we join forces with **Canaries Class** to run a lovely **in-school café!**



The children will:

-  **Make and serve snacks**
-  **Handle money**
-  **Take part in real-life role play**

This is a brilliant way to build confidence and practical life skills!

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## **Science – Our Solar System**




We're continuing our exciting journey through **space and the solar system!**  

Ask your child which planet they've enjoyed learning about most – they've been full of curiosity and wonder!

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## **Geography – Exploring Our Local Area**

In Geography, we're learning about:



-  **Maps and symbols**
-  **Our local community**
-  **Caring for our environment**

Look out for local walks and hands-on activities this term!

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## **History – Personal History**

We're exploring our own **personal and family histories** this term.

 If you have **photos, heritage stories, or family traditions**, we'd love for you to share them! These help us make learning more meaningful and personal 

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## **Snacks & Cooking – £1 Voluntary Donation**

To support our weekly **snack time** and **cooking sessions**, we kindly ask for a **£1 voluntary donation each week** 

Your generosity helps us continue offering these enriching, hands-on experiences. Thank you so much! 🙏 🌟

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As always, if you have any questions or just want to check in, feel free to message us on **Class Dojo** 📱

I'm also available via **email** if that's easier for you ✉️

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**Warm regards,**

**Katie and The Ravens Team** 💖

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