



SKEGBY JUNIOR ACADEMY

Dear Parent/Carers,

We are looking forward to an exciting half term ahead. In English, we will be completing a balanced argument, looking at contrasting points and justifying our reasons for them. We are also hoping to explore the local area to support our new History topic of how Skegby has changed since the Victorian period, and the children will be writing a recount about this. In maths, we will be consolidating the children's knowledge of the four operations, so that they can apply these methods to multi-step problems. We will also be exploring measures, including weight and capacity and looking at geometry, specifically angles within a shape and lines of symmetry. In Science, we will be exploring states of matter and the water cycle. The children will learn about solids, liquids and gases, how their states of matter can be changed and finally how the water cycle works. Our PE will focus on practising multi skills for sports day and orienteering.

Below is a list of important things to remember for you and your child:

- **Monday** - children will have their 'cold' spelling test. Spellings will be sent home to parents via class dojo.
- **Wednesday**- children should come to school in their forest school kits.
- **Thursday**- children should come to school in their full P.E kits. Children can wear joggers and their academy jumper on top of their kits to keep them warm. It is **not** a non-uniform day. One piece of creative homework is due. Homework should be sent to me via Class Dojo or Microsoft Teams by Thursday 12pm at the latest.
- **Friday**- Mentions and spelling test.

Please make sure that your child reads and practises their spellings 5 times a week. A record of their weekly reading can be sent via class dojo on a Friday.

Many thanks again for your support throughout the year.

Your sincerely,
Mr. Riley and Miss Newby