## Opal Class News



22<sup>nd</sup> September 2023

## Things to note:

Firstly, I'd like to thank everyone who joined us for meet the teacher yesterday. It was wonderful to see some faces that I knew and meet new ones. If you were unable to attend and would like the PowerPoint, please just drop your class teacher an email and we can send it across to you.

Further to conversation about home learning yesterday afternoon, this term's home learning has now been published on Google Classroom. We shall also send a copy home in your child's home learning book for those who prefer to stay away from Google Classroom. Please remember that Friday is the day that we check reading records and ttrs. Please encourage your children to participate with these 5 times a week or more and sign off any reading that you have witnessed in their reading records.

Here is a QR code to access the school website with ease in case you need to look anything up.



## **This week:**

In Maths this week, we have been delving in to the land of decimals. The children are beginning to understand the principles of decimals and their values but we will need to keep practising as well as reasoning and problem-solving to really consolidate this.

In English, we are all becoming very passionate about climate change as the children have started planning their persuasive speeches. The have looked up some shocking statistics and they have started to connect what that means for our planet and the other creatures who live in it.

Within our project, the children have continued to question the world from the view of different religious and none religious people. After recapping biomes and climate zones, we are now looking at how those zones might change with climate change. Finally, once again we had a fabulous dance session in P.E as the children moved and danced to move to the beat as lava.