Dear Zebra Class parents,

It has been a pleasure to welcome your children back into school today and we have made a great start on our learning for this term! In English we will be writing persuasive letters. In Maths we continue to learn about fractions, before moving on to mass and capacity. In science we are leaning about plants. In History and Art we will be learning about the Ancient Egyptians. We'd be grateful if you have any of the following at home for us to use:

- Brown packaging paper (from the Amazon boxes!)
- Syringes (calpol or other)
- Cress and other seeds
- Bubble wrap

Important dates

- Thursday 9th May 9am Zebra Class assembly
- Tuesday 14th May trip to Herstmonceaux Science Observatory

Home learning expectations

- Reading to an adult 3x weekly minimum (to be recorded in the red reading record)
- Spelling Shed 3x weekly for 5 mins at a time <u>EdShed</u>
- Timestable Rockstars (TTRS) 3x weekly for 5 mins at a time <u>Times Tables Rock Stars: Play</u> (<u>ttrockstars.com</u>)

If you would prefer for your child to practice these important skills offline you can access the weekly spelling list through your child's Spelling Shed login, and please focus on the 3x, 4x and 8x tables.

Any questions please send a message via studybugs/school office, or see me on the gate.

Best wishes,

Miss Goodsell