



Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you had a fun and enjoyable Summer break and that your children are excited for a new year at Northern House. I'm so excited to be joining year 5 and 6 this year and I know we have a great bunch of children joining Haring Class. The class will be led by myself, Mrs Beaumont and supported by Miss Hiner, Mrs Van Hout and Miss Littlewood

This term our topic will focus on a mixture of our class Artist; Keith Haring and our topic which is Stone Age to Iron Age. We will be exploring a day in the life in the stone age, including stone age tools, art and how life has changed since then! This will also be the foundation for lots of our learning in English as we prepare to write a diary as a stone age child. Please look out for information regarding trips to the Pitt Rivers and a workshop (among other offsite activities!)

In Maths sessions the children will focus on number and place value, telling the time, and developing confidence with fractions. We'll be using practical resources and real-life examples to help children secure key concepts and apply their learning in different ways.

Haring Class will also be learning about Evolution in Science as well as begin our PSHE unit on belonging and have lots of fun exploring the art style of Haring which will include lots of doodling and bright colours!

Haring Class will have **Swimming on a Monday**, they will be joined by Miss Clarke, Miss Hiner and Miss Littlewood. On this day please can the children remember their swimming costume/swimming shorts and a towel.

We are so excited to welcome the children back to school and can't wait to see the progress they will make this year!

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or queries abeaumont@northernhouseacademy.co.uk and I will get back to you as soon as I can.

Best wishes,

Abi Beaumont and the rest of Haring Class Team



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