

Dear parents and carers,

We deliver short ten minute vocabulary lessons each day as research suggests that children's understanding and use of a wide range of vocabulary supports their attainment at school and prepares them for adult life. The words are chosen from National Health Service age related wordlists and topic specific lists.

We would like to share these lists with you so that you can talk to your child about the meaning of the words and practise using them in sentences.

Class 8's topics this term will be Explorers. The table below lists the words which will be studied in school each week.

Please see your child's class teacher if you have any questions or would like more information on vocabulary teaching.

Thank you

Mrs Longstaff

Explorers					
Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
contents	atlas	travel	compare	cross	lazy
index	uncertain	investigate	disagree	excited	nasty
dictionary	compass	prepare	contribute	friendly	sad
non-fiction	voyage	significant	comfortable	kind	surprised