

# CLASS LETTER

## Autumn 2



ROKEBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

PART OF STOWE VALLEY MULTI ACADEMY TRUST

Dear Parents/Carers,

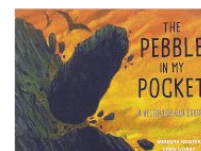
Welcome back to our new half-term. This half term is always a busy one and as ever, we have lots of learning to fit in.

Our class book is called A Pebble in my Pocket. It is a fabulous non-fiction book which will also be incorporated into our topic work.

If I can help/support in any way at all then please do not hesitate to contact me on Dojo or call the office and I will get back to you as soon as I can.

Kind regards, Miss Doughty.

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### Our Topic- A Pebble in My Pocket

During this topic we shall be learning about the following:

Looking at what lies below the earth's crust, understanding aspects of earthquakes, and volcanos.

Exploring what, how and why solids, liquids and gases are and change and in what conditions.

Investigating the first civilisations focusing on the ancients Sumerians.

### Reminders

Please ensure that your child wears their PE kit to school on Thursday. Please also ensure that your child has a water bottle in school every day.

The children bring home spellings to learn through the week. They are then tested on these spellings on the that Friday.

Classroom Secrets Kids is a fabulous website, with a range of extra learning resources for the children. All children have a log in that you will find in their communication book.

Please try to encourage your child to read as much as they can at home. It does not have to be their school reading book, it could be a book from home, a magazine, a recipe whilst cooking, news reports etc. Everything counts towards their weekly reading Dojos- please ask your child to record what they have read in their communication book. As well as practising times tables.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Texts to read at home that are similar to our class text:

- The Street Beneath my Feet by Charlotte Guillain
- Stone Age Boy by Satoshi Kitamura
- A Pebble in your Pocket by Thich Nhat Hanh

### Useful Websites for this half term

<https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/levels/zbr9wmn>

<https://kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk/>

<https://www.thenational.academy/>