# Class Eight/Nine

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2014

## **Project**

Next week we would like to hear a little bit about your game as it is due in during the week of 20th October (the last week of this half term) when we will either listen to you explain your game design or, if you have made your game, play it!

For your next homework project, we would like you to design and/or make a **dinosaur game** that could be played in the classroom during wet playtimes. You could create your own, original dinosaur-themed game or you could amend a classic game such as *snakes and ladders*, chess or *pin the tail on the donkey* with a special dinosaur twist. Your game could even be maths based, the choice is yours.

## **Spellings**

Next week in class we will write sentences using the homophones you have been given to learn. Remember to try to spend five minutes regularly to learn your spellings rather than an hour on Wednesday evening. You will be tested on Thursday morning as usual.

### **Maths**

Next week we will look at different methods of subtraction. A MyMaths activity relating this has been set for you. We would like this completed by Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October.

You're doing very well with your Club tests! Please make sure you're working on them at home as it will make a real difference to your times tables recall.

## **English**

We will start to look at information texts next week. What features can you remember?

#### Other Notes

Make sure you regularly check our school website and respond to questions or comments on our class blog.

On Friday we will be having an art-based enrichment day to celebrate the start of our new topic "Walk Like an Egyptian". Be ready to impress with your creative ideas!