

Spellings

Now we are having daily spelling lessons in year 3, we really feel that we can see an improvement in spelling in all of the children's work.

After Christmas we will start to send the spellings that we are looking at each week in class. If you would like to practise these at home, it will help to reinforce your child's learning.

Christmas Dates

The festive season is nearly upon us and we have many exciting events lined up!

Friday 2nd December (pm) we are welcoming parents into the classroom to help us decorate. Please let us or our parent reps know if you are able to help. Please can we ask for donations of Christmas decorations to make our classroom bright and festive. We would be grateful for anything - tinsel, baubles, a Christmas tree, ornaments. Thank you!

Friday 9th December (pm) some children will be going to the local pantomime, those staying in school will be having a festive event. School will finish at the slightly later time of 2.30pm.

Wednesday 14th December - KS1 Christingle Service held in the school hall during the afternoon. Time to be confirmed.

Friday 16th December - Christmas Jumper Day! Please come wearing your Christmas jumpers.

Monday 19th December - KS1 Christmas party (pm). Children are welcome to bring party clothes in a named plastic bag to change into during the afternoon. Please can all children 'bring a plate'. This is a disposable plate wrapped in cling film with a few festive snacks on for your child to enjoy during the afternoon. Please no nuts.

Tuesday 20th December - Christmas lunch

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Learning this week

This week the children enjoyed creating their own exhibits for the year 3 fraction museum. They used their learning from the week to create fractions out of different resources. The children were very eager to show off their exhibits to their friends.

In English we looked at different Winter Poems and talked about why we liked/disliked them. We also worked in groups to perform a poem about Winter to the rest of the class. These poems gave the children inspiration to write their own poem at the end of the week.

Pre-reading

Thank you so much for embracing our pre-learning activities at home. Many of the children created stunning poetry this week using vocabulary you had obviously discussed at home. Your support was of great advantage to the children.

Next week we are going to be learning the properties of 2D and 3D shapes. Please can you have a look around your house and bring in a real life 3D shape from home eg tissue box - cuboid or kitchen roll - cylinder etc.

Fine Diner & Proud Cloud

Potter Class:

Fine diner: Lottie for always being polite to the staff at lunch times and for eating her dinner sensibly.

Proud cloud: Hettie for putting 100% effort into everything that she does in the classroom. Well done!

Kipling Class:

Fine diner: Ava for being sensible at lunchtimes.

Proud cloud: Xavi for challenging himself in maths this week.

Parent helpers

Thank you to all of the parents that have been able to offer their help this half term. If there is anyone else that would be able to support us at Forest Schools or hear children read on a 1:1 basis we would love to hear from you.

Things to remember

As the weather is getting colder, please could all children remember to bring a warm coat to school.

Mrs Wong, Mrs Haines and Mrs Moss