

This week

What a fantastic first week! We have been extremely impressed with how the children have settled into KS2.

Each week we will announce the child who stood out as a 'fine diner' and the child who made it onto the 'proud cloud'. As well as being announced each week, the names are also displayed on the board outside our classroom to celebrate their achievements.

Potter Class:

Fine diner: Anna Hendricks For using wonderful manners in the dining room.

Proud cloud: Lucia White For having a great start to year 3 and for always showing me that she is ready to learn.

Kipling Class:

Fine diner: Xabier Duncan For using wonderful manners in the dining room.

Proud cloud: Beatrix Ives O'Brien - For settling into school well and for being an active learner

Home Learning

The Home Learning for every week this half term is stuck in the front of the children's home learning books. The books will go out on a **Friday** and are expected to be returned by the following **Wednesday**.

Have a great weekend

Mrs Wong, Mrs Haines and Mrs Moss

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Learning this week

This week the children have been introduced to the topic for the term which is 'The Stone Age through to the Iron Age'. The children have shared with us what we they already know about the topic and we have discussed what they would like to find out.

We have also been looking at the authors that our classes are named after and have been researching facts about them on the internet.

Moment to Shine

The children have been very eager to bring in things from home to show the rest of the class. To make sure everyone gets the chance we will be following a rota where children from one group will bring something to tell the class about each week. Please bring any items on a Monday if possible so that children can show them through the week.

NEXT WEEK'S MOMENT TO SHINE

Potter class: Hedgehogs group

Kipling class: Baloo group.

Changing Reading books

This week all of your children will have received a reading book. Please continue to read with your children as much as possible at home and write any comments in their reading diary.

Please help your child to remember that they must bring their reading book to school every day.

We will aim to change the children's reading book with them once a week. However, as part of their growing independence, the children will be also given the opportunity to change their book in the mornings if needed.

PE

PE lessons for **Potter** class are timetabled for **Tuesday and Fridays**.

PE lessons for **Kipling** class are timetabled for **Monday and Thursdays**.

Please ensure that your child brings their correct PE kit into school by Monday 12th September. They can then leave their kit in school and then take it home at half term to be washed. Please remember that children will now be changing in their kit during school time so they must come to school wearing their uniform each day.