

Oak Class Newsletter

June 2018

Welcome back to the final term! I hope you had a lovely break! Thank you for all of your lovely tapestry posts! Please remember to add a post with any technology that you use at home.

There are two more reading raffles this half term so remember to read three times a week to earn your raffle ticket and be in with a chance to win a book.

Also keep sending your REAL reading pictures in. We are enjoying seeing how you use reading in everyday situations.

Our school topic for this half term is: Journey's
Our enquiry question is: Where can a path lead?

English

In English we will be discussing the stories 'Window' by Jeannie Baker and 'Into the Woods' by Anthony Brown. We will be thinking about the environment and write persuasively to save it and write a story beneath the woods!

English in Sycamore Class

In English we will be learning to use persuasive language. We are also going to investigate poetry. Then we are going to read a finding tale about a child who goes on a journey. We will explore the settings he visits as part of his journey.

Maths

In maths we will be counting in groups of two, five, and ten. We will be exploring this skill in a variety of ways including using money and measuring lengths, volumes and mass.

Maths in Sycamore Class

In Maths we are beginning to learn about multiplication in the context of grouping things into twos, fives and tens to make them easier to count. We will then consider how this knowledge can help us with sharing for division.

Learning Across the Curriculum

We really enjoyed our Castles and Dragons topic! This half term we will move on to the topic of Journeys!

We have our school visits coming up this term. Year 1 children will be going to Gressinghall and Reception children will be going to Catton Park! We will both be exploring the journeys in stories and famous tales.

There are two fetes taking place this term and it would be lovely to see you all there. The children have worked very hard to create their own Journey painting which will be displayed at the Church fete.

Reminders

Please put sun-cream on your children before school. Children should also bring named sun-hats to school.

Library will be on Thursdays.

PE kits including outdoor trainers to be in school and for everything to be named please.

How to Support at Home

Continue to use the phonics packs that have been sent home to help recognition of phonemes and blending of real and nonsense words.

Class Dates

Saturday 16th June- Church fete

Monday 18th June- Gressinghall

Tuesday 19th June- Catton Park

Friday 22nd June – Sycamore

Assembly 9:00

Thursday 28th June – Oak Class

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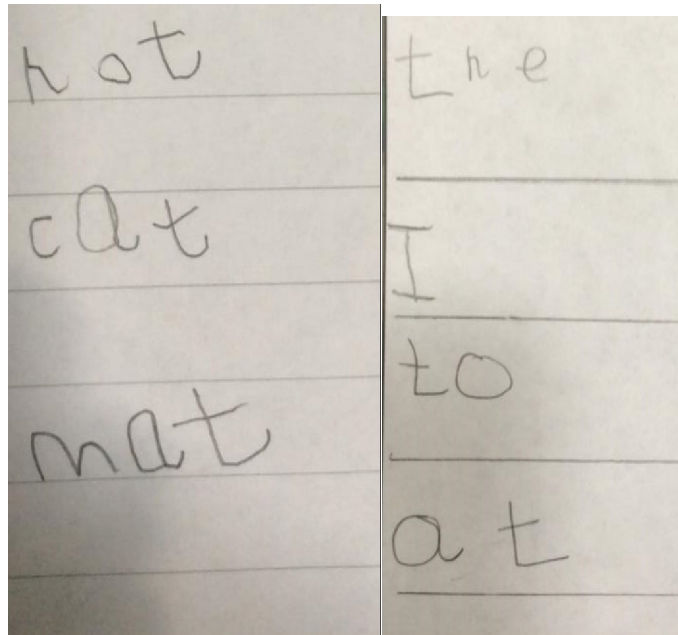
Tuesday 3rd July – Sports Morning

Saturday 14th July – School summer fete

Handwriting

A few parents have asked about end of year expectations for handwriting. Here are some examples....

Reception:



Year 1:

