

EYFS Snowdrops and Bluebells : Summer 1 Newsletter

What will we be learning this half term?

Upcoming dates

<u>Welcome</u>

We hope you all had a lovely long weekend! Remember we love to share your child's adventures from home, please add these to Tapestry for us to share on a Friday.

<u>Phonics</u>

This half term we will continue to consolidate and practice reading longer words: Week 1 short vowels CVCC New tricky words: said so have like Week 2 short vowels CVCC CCVC New tricky words: some come love do Week 3 short vowels CCVCC CCCVCC longer words New tricky words: were here little

sa

Week 4 longer words - compound words New tricky words: there when what one Please remember to check Tapestry for our weekly phonics learning and don't forget to share your phonics practise at home!

Mathematics (Mastering Number)

This half term we will be consolidating our understanding of the composition of numbers to 10, as well as thinking about whether a number is more or less than another number.

English

This half term we will be exploring the text 'Handa's Surprise'. Grandma Fantastic will introduce new vocabulary to us and we will use the new words in sentences. We will be composing our own stories based on the text. We will also be practising our sentence writing skills, through independently writing simple sentences based on a picture as our morning starter activity.

Early Reading

Reading challenge! We will continue to have three reads per week with an adult working on: decoding, prosody, and comprehension. Reading at home will make a massive difference in a child's reading progress, so encourage your child to read with you at least 3 times a week at home! Record in your reading record to move around Catton Park on the Sculpture Trail. <u>14th May:</u> Class Photo

<u>19th May:</u> Walk to school week

<u>23rd May</u> Friend's Non-uniform day and last day before half term

General notices

- Remember to name **<u>all</u>** items of clothing.
- Please bring your book bag and phonics folder/reading record in every day.
- Please bring in your PE kit to change into on a Monday.







You can support our learning even further...



Test us on...

Can you remember the story of Handa's surprise?



Try some different fruits - which is your favourite and why?

Question us about...

Where do you live? Who do you live with? Where is your favourite place to visit?

Spotlight on E-Safety....

Have you ever upset someone online/offline? How did they feel? How did it make you feel?

Ask us to explain...

Build a model using junk can you explain how to make it?

Can you write a set of instructions?

See if we can remember...

Number bonds to 5 Challenge: can you say them to 10!



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