



We hope that everyone has enjoyed their October break. This newsletter will give you more information about what we are learning across the curriculum in Term 2. We thank you for your continued support.

Language & Literacy

We have learned our first 6 sounds and will continue to learn 2 more each week. With these sounds we will be developing our word blending and breaking skills which will help us to read and write.

Reading books will begin to be distributed over the coming weeks. We will be continuing to develop our comprehension skills through whole class story time and reading groups.



Numeracy & Mathematics

- We will continue to develop our numbers to 10 and beyond.
- There will be a focus on addition and developing our strategies.
- We will be looking at fractions and how we share equally into groups.
- We will be gathering information and learning how to display our findings in different ways.
- Towards Christmas time we will be exploring symmetry.



Health & Wellbeing

P.E. - We will begin the term with Central Net and Wall skills such as Badminton, Tennis and Volleyball. We will then move on to Gymnastics and Dance towards the end of the term.

Health - Through the use of Barnardo's PATHS programme of work, pupils will explore and develop their understanding of their emotions whilst building and maintaining positive friendships. We will also explore how we make positive choices.

There will continue to be PATHS pupils who will receive compliments from everyone in the class. They will bring home a compliment slip to discuss and you can add your own compliments to it.

Contexts for Learning

Our context for learning this term will be 'Senses.' We will be looking at the 5 different senses and carrying out experiments to find out information. We will also be participating in a variety of Hallowe'en and Christmas activities.

Homework

Homework will continue into Term 2. Thank you for your support with this so far. If your child hasn't completed their weekly homework please make sure their homework folder is still returned on a Friday ready for the next weeks work to go into.

Additional Information

Please continue to utilise the school app 'Safer Schools' to look at upcoming events within the school. You will find this information within the calendar section.