



Year 1 Newsletter

Friday 27th September 2019

Things you need to know

P.E sessions are as follows:

Browne – Wednesday & Friday

Kerr – Monday & Wednesday

Kipling – Monday & Wednesday

Rosen- Wednesday & Thursday

Please provide a named P.E. kit for your child. P.E Kits must be brought in school on Monday and left until the end of the term.

Winterbourne Café

This week Mrs Jones our Deputy Head teacher hosted the first 'Winterbourne Café', to the children who have shown outstanding behaviour during Lunchtime. The Café will be held every Friday in the main hall. The Midday Supervisors will be choosing the child for their outstanding behaviour during lunchtime.

Please encourage your child to make good choices while in the dinner hall and playground to stand a chance of joining Mrs Jones in the Winterbourne café.



English: Next week the children will be learning how to describe a setting as a first step to write a story.

The children will be looking at pictures of different settings from familiar stories and describe them using adjectives.

They will be encouraged to step in the picture (imagine to be in the setting), and think of sounds, they would hear, how they would feel, what they would see and describe it to their partners.

They will write sentences describing the setting using adjectives as well as conjunctions (and, because) to join sentences. They will be using capital letters to start their sentences and to write people's names and end their sentences with a full stop. They will be encouraged to use finger spaces to separate words.

Things to do at home

Look at family photographs and try to describe the surrounding where the picture was taken, or describe the room they are sitting in.

Important messages

During rainy weather, please ensure that if your child is wearing wellington boots to school that their school shoes are put in their school bag so they change into their shoes when they arrive.



Dear Parents/Carers,

The children have settled in well and have been learning through different methods including drama and practical activities in English and Mathematics.



Maths: Next week the children will be learning place value. This is where the children learn how much each digit is equivalent to in a two, or a one-digit number. They will learn how many tens and units are in each number. For **Example: 17, has one ten and seven units.** They will use counters, multilink cubes and Dienes



Things to do at home: Count out everyday objects more than ten up to 20. Ask questions that allow the child to work how many tens and units there are.



History: As part of their history lesson, the children are asked to bring into school a toy they played with when they were babies or that their young siblings are playing with.



Science: Next week we will continue to look at the different types of animals, focusing on fish. They will find out how fish differ from mammals.

Important messages

Reading Workshop

A big thank you to those parents who braved the downpour and attended our reading workshop.

We hope you found it useful. As soon as we complete assessing the children, we will send a decodable book home with your child, to read to you as well as a band book for you to read to your child.

Whole school attendance w/e 20/09/19 – 96%

Browne: 97.6%

Kerr: 96.9%

Kipling: 91.6%

Rosen: 96.8%