

Year 1 Newsletter

Friday 7th May 2021

Reminder

If you have any questions or queries, contact your class teacher on:

Browne class: Browneclass@winterbourne-inf.croydon.sch.uk

Kerr class: Kerrclass@winterbourne-inf.croydon.sch.uk

Rosen class: Rosenclass@winterbourne-inf.croydon.sch.uk

English

Next week in English we will begin our new story 'Sky Colour' by Peter H. Reynolds. We will look in depth at the front cover and make predictions about what will happen in the story. Then we will order the events of the story.

Finally we will learn the conjunction because and use this within our writing.



How you can help at home:

Answer these questions. Can you use the conjunction because in your answers?

What is your favourite thing about school? Who is important in your life? Have you ever felt jealous before?

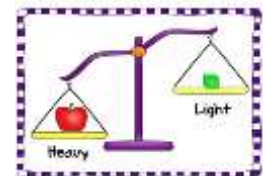
Maths

Next week in Maths we will be looking at weight and capacity. We will determine whether objects are the heaviest or lightest by weighing them using scales. Next we will look at a container's capacity. We will determine if they are full or empty and find out how many cups it takes them to be full.

How you can help at home:

Watch the song 'Is it heavy or light': <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qUOQrXmfwDM> Then

compare objects from around your home. Which is the heaviest and which is the lightest?



Sounds of the week

This week we learned these new phase 4 sounds:

ir, aw, i alternative sound, o alternative sound

We also recapped the tricky words:

Mr, Mrs, looked

Practise writing them and then try using them in a word or sentence!

Words of the week

observe

To notice something and acknowledge its significance.

meteorologist

A scientist who studies the weather.

Can you write a sentence using these words?

Pyjamarama

On Friday 14th May we are taking part in Pyjamarama. This is all about getting children excited about reading. On Friday children can come to school in their pyjamas and bring in their favourite bedtime story. We will be asking for a £1 donation to 'Book Trust'



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Important messages

The reading book your child brings home is now the reading book they read with the class teacher during their daily reading lessons. Please ensure that your child brings their book into school **every day**. If a book has been lost or damaged, we will be asking you to cover the cost. Thank you for understanding.

Please make sure your child's name is in all of their clothing and items such as water bottles and packed lunch boxes. This is to ensure that their clothes do not become lost. Teachers are not responsible for children's lost items. Please check lost property for any missing items.

Please make sure you are dropping off and collecting your child promptly. The school opens at 8:45am and collection is at 3:25pm.

Stars of the week

Each Friday we have an achievement assembly where the class teacher chooses two children who stood out because of their amazing learning, behaviour or values.

Last week's stars of the week were:

Kerr Class- Renee, Shawaiz

Browne Class- Shania, Aarib

Rosen Class- Bahez, Hussain



Attendance w/e 30/04/21

We will continue to monitor attendance. The class with the best attendance each week will receive the attendance cup!

Kerr Class - 95.8%

Browne Class - 90%

Rosen Class - 98%

Well done to **Rosen** class who achieved the best attendance last week!

School Matters!

