

Reception Newsletter

Friday 2nd July 2021

Summer Term 2

We would like to remind you that school starts at 8:45am.

Please make an effort to be on time to enable us to start learning at exactly 9:00am.

English

Next week we will read a number of traditional tales including; The Magic Pot, The Elves and the shoemaker, Aladdin and Cinderella.

How you can help at home

You can listen to the story and ask questions to find out about your child's understanding of what happens.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VPS8FP3aZR4&t=1s>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oqOGt5TvAUA&t=2s>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Eq-eQKoEycM>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hD2l1TFWIUc>

You can ask the child to name the characters, or to retell the story to you or a sibling.

Maths

In Maths we will be learning about 'Capacity'

We will discuss what capacity means, what we can use to find capacity.

We will also compare the capacity of different containers.

How you can help at home

You can investigate different sized and shaped containers to find out which one holds more liquid.

Here is an example:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MbqgW758lWY>

Sounds of the week

In phonics we will be looking at Phase 5 of Letters and Sounds. The graphemes we are revising will be:

ay - as in; hay, pay, stay, clay

ou - as in; loud, cloud, pound, sound

ie - as in; flies, pies, skies, cries

ea - as in; leaf, pea, tea, peach

oy - as in; toy, cowboy, oyster,

You can help your child to read and spell these tricky words: **she, me, my, they, some, have, when**

Practise writing them and then use these word to say or write a sentence.

Vocabulary of the week

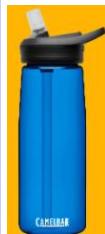
village, porridge, overflowing
carpet, magic, pumpkin, rags, coach,
slipper, shoemaker, Elf, Elves,
repay, countries,
container, jug, full, half full, empty,

Winterbourne

Nursery and Infant School



The hot weather



As the weather is getting warmer, please remember to give your child a water bottle, a sun hat, and where possible put sun cream on before coming to school.



If you want to get in touch with your child's teacher, please email:

Donaldson class - donaldsonclass@winterbourne-inf.croydon.sch.uk

Hargreaves class - hargreavesclass@winterbourne-inf.croydon.sch.uk

Seuss class - seussclass@winterbourne-inf.croydon.sch.uk

Stars of the week

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

This week's stars of the week are:

Donaldson Class - Kayanat and Inaaya

Hargreaves Class - Pritika and Kevin

Seuss Class - Sadia, Toviah and Precious



Attendance w/e 25/06/21

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

Donaldson Class - 88.7%

Hargreaves Class - 94%

Seuss Class - 90.6%

Well done to Hargreaves class who achieved the best attendance the week before half term!

