Reception Class Newsletter

Autumn Term 2



This term our topic is 'Fairy Tales'

Topic - During this topic we will focus on traditional stories such as 'Goldilocks and The Three Bears' 'The Three Little Pigs' 'The Gingerbread Man' 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff' and 'Little Red Riding Hood'.

Maths - In Mathematics we will begin learning how to use numbers in calculations. We will be focusing on knowing one more and one less of numbers to 10 as well as starting simple addition and subtraction.

Phonics - In Phonics we will be revisiting all the sounds we have learnt and when we are confident in blending we will move onto other sounds. Reading books and reading record books are being sent home on Friday 3rd November. Please write in the record book every time your child practises the book at home with you. At this stage we are encouraging children to talk about books and what we can see in the pictures. Please have the reading book and reading record in school every day.

RE - Every Tuesday morning we will have Mrs Finney teach us Religious Education, this term we will be covering the topic 'Special people'.

Collective Worship - This term the theme of Collective Worship is 'Compassion' children who are seen to be showing this value will be nominated to receive the Tully Cup on a Friday.

Class Assembly – At 3:10pm on the 6th of December Reception Class would like to invite you to our class assembly where we will show you some of the work we have been doing in class.

WOW Cards

WOW cards - please keep these safe. These cards are for you to fill in special moments you have observed your child achieve out of school. This could be learning to play a sport, achieving an award, writing independently or learning something new in Maths! Fill in the form and it will be placed on our Superhero WOW Wall in the classroom, please feel free to attach a photograph or the evidence of writing etc to accompany the WOW moment! When you run out, let us know and more can be sent home.

Don't Forget...

- Our PE day is Monday, please ensure kits are in school on this day. PE kit should include t-shirt, shorts, plimsolls, socks, joggers, jacket/jumper and trainers.
- You can come in your own clothes on your Birthday! If your Birthday falls at a weekend or in the holidays choose the day closest to your birthday.
- Please label **all** uniform and PE kit <u>including shoes and coats.</u>
- Remember to bring a raincoat every day, we go outside whatever the weather!!
- Follow us on Twitter! Our Twitter name is @YearRLea
- Children can bring a <u>named</u> water bottle in each day to access throughout the day <u>only water in these please.</u>

Please do not hesitate to come and see us if you have any other queries or questions.

Many thanks

Miss Ward and the Reception Team

