Fishbourne C E Primary School



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Dear Parents.

I hope you all had a lovely Christmas and New Year!

I have written this letter to give you an overview of our learning for the spring term. If you have any questions or concerns please remember that you are welcome to email me or pop in after school for a chat!

Our Learning

Each learning experience will start with a hook and finish with an end goal. The steps towards our end goal are carefully planned and personalised to enable your child to make good progress. At the end of each learning experience the children will reflect on their learning and then bring their learning journals home to share with you. It would be lovely if you could write a comment on the sheet and return the book back to school the following day. This is a really special way of the children sharing their learning with you and having the opportunity to see their progress!

The Egyptians!

Our second history learning experience will be The Egyptians. We will hook the children into this learning experience by learning a dance to the song 'Walk like an Egyptian'. The children will learn about lots of different aspects of how the Egyptains lived. For our end goal, the children will write an explanation of the mummification process!



Forces

Our science based learning experience will be learning all about forces and magnets. We will be doing lots of experiments that will help us write our end goals. The children will write instructions and an explanation for one of our experiments.

Happy from Head to Toe!

Happy from Head to Toe will be a whole school PSHCE learning experience! The aim is to give children a range of opportunities to build their emotional and physical wellbeing. The week will be full of exciting things to really look forward to!

Fantastic Mr Fox

Our narrative write for this term will be inspired by our whole class reading book, Fantastic Mr Fox!

Rivers

The final learning experience will of the spring term will be learning about Rivers. This is our first geography learning experience and we are hoping to arrange a trip with the Harbour Conservancy at Dell Quay. We will be writing letters as part of our end goal to inform our readers about the human pollution that is causing a negative impact on our rivers.



Reading

Our second whole class reading text will be Fantastic Mr Fox by Roald Dahl. As a class, we will read a chapter and answer questions based on what we have read.

The children are all working really hard with their independent reading but it is super important that this hard work continues! Please make sure your child is reading out loud to an adult every day at home. It is important and helpful that this is recorded in the green books, which must also be in school every day.



PΕ

Please remember to have labelled PE kit in school every day. Trainers are essential and on cooler days remember to pack a warm jumper! Curtis is working with us on a Thursday and Friday afternoon.

We will be going swimming again on a Tuesday afternoon after lunch. The children will need a swim hat, goggles, a towel and suitable swim wear.

Homework

Homework will be set on a Friday and will be due in on a Friday. All homework will be stuck into a homework book. Some children will also be bringing their phonic booklets home to complete as part of revision of the Year 2 sounds. They are very familiar with the structure and these must come back into school on a Friday with the homework

books. They will be tasked with completing one unit from the booklet each week.

Fantastic Mr Fox

We have exciting times ahead with our Fantastic Mr Fox performance! Please practice lots at home so the children know their lines without their script. More information will follow about all the details but please don't hesitate to ask any questions!

We have a very busy and exciting term ahead! If you have any questions or concerns, please do use the class email which is crocodiles@fishbourneprimary.co.uk

Thank you for all your support!

Best wishes,

Miss Megan Grant