

Nelson Class Newsletter

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Welcome back Nelson Class!

Reading

Remember that children should be reading with an adult as much as possible. Getting into a reading routine by reading at the same time everyday may be beneficial. Children will read at school, but should not be their only source of reading.

All children will have a reading record and a decodable book that they should take home at the end of everyday. Children can read books from home as well, just make sure to record it in their reading record. Myself or another adult will check reading records weekly and if your child has read 3 or more times they will move along the reading chart. For every 5th step they will receive a reward. On the 15th step they will be entered into a prize draw with the chance to win a book voucher.

Children will read with an adult at school at least once a week where we will check their reading fluency. If they are fluent in the book, they will receive a new one. However, if we believe they may benefit from some more practise they will stay with their current book.

Don't Forget...

Please make sure all clothing and personal items are labelled so we don't have lots in lost property.

Each child should have a named PE kit, which comes into school on Monday and goes home on a Friday. Our PE days are Tuesday and Thursday.

Earrings need to be taken out on PE days.

Please ensure PE kits have suitable footwear and clothing for indoor and outdoor use.

Homework

Reading should be done at least 3 times a week

Spellings will be given weekly which need to be practised for tests on Fridays.

English and maths homework will be set on alternative weeks.

All homework will be set on seesaw- paper copies will be available.

Year 2s will soon be set times tables to practise weekly.

Curriculum – This Half term

English – Pattan’s Pumpkin, newspaper writing

Maths - multiplication and division, statistics

Science – animals

including humans

Art – art and design skills

History- nurturing nurses

Computing – multimedia

Music – under the sea

R.E. – Judaism

RSHE – dreams and goals

Reminders

- Water- reminder that children should have water in their bottles during the day. Children are allowed juice and squash at lunch time.
- If you have any queries or questions please contact me or the school office.
- Please make sure your child will be happy to eat the lunch selected for them so we have no hungry bellies.
- Please make sure your children have appropriate clothing for the weather, wellies can be kept at school in the outside bags.

Thank you

Miss Higgins