



Weekly Review

7th November 2014



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The children have really enjoyed sharing their holiday news with the rest of the class, hearing about Halloween parties and firework displays amongst many other activities! They have come back to school rested and very keen to continue with our enrichment curriculum topic work!

We will soon be beginning to think about preparations for Christmas performances which are only seven weeks away so it promises to be an action-packed and very busy half term.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Robinson & Mrs Daniels

Mathematics

We are welcoming a teacher from China into Year 2 who will be teaching some fun Mathematics activities alongside Mrs Wheatman for the next three weeks. Lots of the activities will involve practising number skills in addition and subtraction.

Notices

- Book Fair (until 11th November): please come along to the school entrance hall after school and choose from a fantastic selection of books at reasonable prices!
- School photographs: 13th November

Early Morning Routines

The children are really enjoying coming into school more independently which is something we encourage in the second half of the Autumn term. They are getting very good at organising all of their things and then starting activities before the register at 8.55am.

Thank you for your support with this.

KS1 'Special Projects' Homework Thursday 6th November



*Completed models to be returned to school by
Tuesday 2nd December please.*

Our KS1 'Special Projects' Assembly will be held on Friday 5th December.

We look forward to seeing you there.

Mental Maths / Times Tables

This week we will be sending booklets home which will give you an indication of the mental maths skills we will be working on in school. The booklet will explain how we are going to test the children on Fridays in a 'fun' way, either individually or in small groups. The children will be able to collect stamps and stickers over the course of the year as they progress through the skills.

If you have any queries please let us know in the communication booklets but we will explain this carefully to the children



'Children in Need' - Friday 14th November 2014

As mentioned in a letter sent out on the last day before the half term holiday, we have decided to support Pudsey Bear again this year.

As the theme this year is 'be a Hero,' children may come to school dressed as a super hero - Superman, Batman, Spiderman, the choice is yours! Alternatively children may wear something 'spotty' like Pudsey Bear and bring in a donation on Friday morning. Each class will have a collection box in their classroom. It would be really helpful if donations could be in a labelled envelope. Spotty items could include socks, tights, hair bands, Pudsey ears, wristbands or spotty stickers added to school jumpers!

The School Council will be organising a cookie sale during break time for children who would like to buy a cookie to enjoy. Loose change for this will need to be in a separate envelope or purse or wallet please. Class Hazel will be taking part in fun activities throughout the day to support this worthy cause.

Thank you for your support!

Best wishes

Mrs Robinson & Mrs Daniels