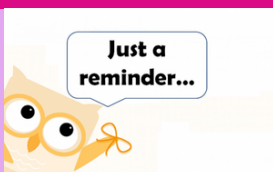




Hive Newsletter Autumn Term 1

VALUE OF THE TERM : COMMUNITY

CURRICULUM DRIVERS: BELONGING AND IDENTITY



Your child will be bringing home a reading book and contact book, please can these be returned every day for reading with a class adult.

PE Day - Tuesday.

Woodland school- Friday, please ensure your child has waterproofs and named wellies.

Please can all clothing, lunch boxes and water bottles be named.

How you can help at home:

- Ready daily and sign your child's contact book
- Practise phonic sounds
- Talk to them about school routines and their learning

It was lovely to welcome you all back and to welcome our new reception children at the start of Term 1! We have been busy preparing everything ready for the start of term. Throughout the year, our pupils will learn through sensory exploration, hands-on experiences and practical activities, helping them to develop their skills, confidence and independence.

We will be exploring the wonderful world around us, discovering more about life and plant growth, animals and their habitats, and so much more! We are looking forward to creating lots of exciting experiences together, encouraging curiosity and celebrating every achievement along the way.



Literacy

Honey Bees will be looking at a variety of books, starting with 'The Gruffalo' using sensory exploration to develop our language. We will then use a selection of traditional tales.

Bumble bees will be looking at a book called 'Orion and the Dark', the book explores fears and emotions through thoughtful illustrations. We will be working on sentence structure and writing character descriptions.

MATHS

In term one **Honey Bees**, will be focusing on matching, comparing and sorting objects. We will be using physical items and discussing their features such as colour, size, texture or shape. In **Bumble Bees** we begin by practising numbers to 100, recognising tens and ones, partitioning and writing numbers to 100 in words.

IF YOU WISH TO CONTACT US YOU CAN SPEAK TO US AT THE END OF THE DAY WHEN ALL OTHER PUPILS HAVE BEEN DISMISSED, OR EMAIL US ON THE CLASS

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