

Mr Snelling's Class Letter – Autumn 2 2020

Welcome back after your half term break. I hope you are all refreshed and ready to go!

As you know, due to staffing shortages, the Year 3/4 class was split between the Year 4 and Year 3 classes. The decision has been made to keep the children in these classes. So, if your child is currently with me they will remain with me and if they are Miss Chessell they will remain with her. Mrs Robinson will be working with our classes in the afternoons and in the mornings she will be running a catch-up and intervention programme.

The term is packed full of exciting learning and opportunities. Here are a few of the things we will be up to...

In English, our tasks will focus around the books *Black Dog* by Levi Pinfold, *The Tunnel* by Anthony Browne and *Ice Bear* by Nicola Davies.

In maths, we continue to focus on the 4 operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Additionally, measurement will be our theme closer to Christmas.

The science topic this term is "Forces and Magnets". We have lots of exciting experiments planned that the children will enjoy.

Kind Regards,

Mr Snelling

Key Information

Home Learning: Please continuing with the wonderful things you have been doing such as reading, handwriting and times tables practice. Remember to practise your weekly spellings.



Break: The days are starting to get very cold. Please ensure your child has a school jumper and a warm *waterproof coat in school daily*, as playtimes are outside in all weathers.

PE: Wednesday and Friday afternoon. PE uniform is trainers, navy or black leggings, jogging bottoms or shorts, their red school shirt or PE top and their school sweatshirt if it's cold.
Hoodies are not appropriate due to possibility of the hood being caught in equipment.

Punctuality: The gates open at 8:40a.m. to allow children to come straight up and enjoy "Magic Breakfast". At 8:55a.m. the gates will be closed and children will need to be signed in.
Remember: the sooner you are in, the warmer your breakfast will be. ☺

Water Bottles: It is important for children to be kept hydrated throughout the day. Please ensure that they have a drinks bottle labelled with their name, which can be kept in class.