



Year 1 Parent leaflet: Autumn 1



Our Topic:

Knowing Me, Knowing You

Our BIG question:- What makes me who I am?

Seedlings Class - Mrs Taylor & Mrs Allen



Saplings Class - Mrs Collins



Our learning this half term:

- To follow our Inspire & White Rose Maths scheme.
- Comparing, reading, writing, ordering numbers to 10.
- Adding & subtracting numbers within 10.
- Immersing ourselves in our chosen texts linked to our theme and enjoying our page turner - Esio Trot by Roald Dahl.
- Using Pie Corbett storytelling words and actions, and mapping to retell stories.
- Writing simple sentences about ourselves.
- Identifying & describing body parts, ways of moving & Senses. Learning about growth, basic needs, exercise, food & hygiene.
- Investigating how we've grown & changed.
- Drawing and paintings of ourselves.
- Responding to the work of Picasso and Modigliani.
- Singing a variety of songs linked to our theme.

MORE REGULAR UPDATES ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S LEARNING JOURNEY, AS WELL AS LINKS TO USEFUL WEBSITES, AND SONGS WE LIKE TO SING, WILL BE SENT VIA SEESAW.

Ongoing learning:

- Individual and shared reading sessions
- Daily Phonics sessions
- Learning weekly spellings
- Handwriting - using correct cursive letter formation & joining letters.
- Learn number bonds of 10 off by heart. Forming all numbers correctly.
- Writing a simple sentence **independently**. Including finger spaces between words. Using CLs and FS correctly.

Key Dates or things to remember:

We have PE every Thursday.

Please ensure that your child's PE kit is in school which should include black shorts, white T shirt, plimsolls or trainers and dark tracksuit trousers. Please ensure that long hair is tied back and earrings are removed on PE days.

Library Books are changed every Friday.

Wild Wednesday - 13th September

We can't wait to see what Mrs Bennett has got planned for us!

Further information will be provided via Parent Mail.

Useful ways to support learning at home:

Reading challenge: Reading for 5 minutes, 5 times a week. Complete your Reading Challenge Slip and return it to school every Monday. House Points and Class Prizes available!

Maths: Weekly Maths Homework Challenges set on Purple Mash or sent home in your child's Homework Book. Remember to practise your BMBTs and CLIC challenges too.

English: Weekly Reading or Writing Homework - Set on Purple Mash, or sent home in your child's Homework Book.

Spellings: Practise your weekly Phonics Spellings and the CEWs too.