



Robins' Newsletter Autumn Term 2021

Firstly, we would like to welcome you all to Robins and say how wonderful the children have been. They have all settled well and you would never know they had not been to school before. Well done Robins

Curriculum

This half term our topic is 'Superheroes'. Through this topic we will discuss what kind of superhero we are, the superheroes in our family, superheroes who help us and whether animals can be superheroes. We will be introducing lots of new vocabulary. After half-term we will focus on different types of celebrations including, Remembrance Day, Diwali and Christmas.

In phonics we will start Phase 1 of Letters and Sounds which concentrates on developing children's speaking and listening skills and lays the foundations for Phase 2 when we begin to learn phonemes and graphemes.

Our Math's focus over the term will be to investigate the composition of numbers 1-5, length, height, weight and different types of patterns.

Reading

Children will be sent home with a reading book and a reading record diary. Please can you ensure that you write in the diary when you read at home. The first set of books to come home will be Lilac books. These have no words in, but can you please look at each page and discuss what is happening. Books will then be sent home in stages of phonic level ability beginning with the phonemes s a t p i n.

PE

PE will be on Tuesday afternoons. This will commence officially when the children are full time. The children will be getting changed for PE in class. They will need a PE kit, (white t-shirt and black shorts) and suitable footwear.

Water bottles and Snack

Thank you for sending in a named water bottle with water in every day. Could this please continue even when the weather gets colder. The school fruit delivery is now up and running again, however, if your child will only eat one particular fruit could you please continue sending this in every day.

Show and Tell

Children can bring in one item from home or alternatively, you can send in a photo via Dojo message and I can put it on the interactive board for the children to talk about. Show and Tell dates for this half term are

Tuesday 28thSeptember – Albert Hancy, Ruby, Felix.

Tuesday 5thOctober - India, Brayden, Matthew.

Tuesday 12thOctober – Robyn, Albert Banks, Benji.

Tuesday 19th October – Kacey, Eden-Rose, Jake.

Finally, if you have any concerns at all, or there is a change in your child's personal circumstances which may affect them, please do not hesitate to contact us via Class Dojo or leave a message with the office and we will get back to you. Additionally, we are at the gate every morning to welcome the children into school.

Thank you for your support and very kind words so far,

Miss Hales, Miss Humphreys and Miss Rout



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