



INFANT LEARNING NEWS

Monday 26th Feb – Friday 2nd March 2018

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Dates for your diary

Wednesday 7th March 2pm – Year 2 Mothers' Day Tea Party.

Thursday 8th March 2pm – Year 1 Mothers' Day Tea Party.

This week's learning

Reception

This week we have been learning Spring songs. We have been using number bonds to 10 to make number stories and have been recapping 3D shape names. We enjoyed our multi-sports taster session. On Thursday we all enjoyed the World Book Day dressing up and the children shared their favourite book with the class. We also enjoyed a performance of The Wind in the Willows acted out by the children.

Year 1

The Year 1 children have been impressing with their progress in phonics during our assessments this week! We have also been continuing our topic of Queen for a Day with writing, Art and DT. We have been using number lines to solve addition problems in Maths and exploring with magnets in Science.

Year 2

This week we have been writing about our wonderful mums in English. In Maths, we have been practising counting in 2, 5 and 10 and have solved multiplication calculations. Please take every opportunity you can to practise the 2, 5 and 10 times tables at home! Our afternoons have been dedicated to planning, designing and making things for our tea party next week.

Reminders

Year 2

- Continue to check **SPAG.com** and **Mathletics** for weekly tasks.
- **Library books** will be changed on a Friday.
- **PE days** are now Wednesdays and Thursdays.
- If possible, please send in the mum photographs by next **Tuesday**.

Year 1

- New **Mathletics** challenges will continue to be set on a regular basis.
- **Library books** will be changed each Friday. Please ensure that these are kept in book bags.
- **PE days** are now Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Please check to make sure that all kit is clearly labelled with your child's name.
- Children have been asked to bring in a **photograph** of their mum. Please write names on the back and send these in by next Wednesday if possible.

Reception

Please can all children plant a seed or bulb, record its growth (eg photos or drawings) and bring it in for show and tell the last week of this term. The children can then plant this in the Rainbow Class garden.

Thank you.

Forest School on Mondays

The children will need to come to school wearing their forest clothes (uniform in a named bag).

Everyone **MUST** bring in a **small rucksack** with a bottle of **water** and an easy to eat **snack** eg banana or apple packed ready inside. They will also need anti-bacterial hand **wipes** and/or gel as well as a packet of **tissues**. There is a list up in the class window (Group 1 first, then Group 2) showing which of the groups the children are in. Please remember to wrap up warm and wear at least two pairs of socks.

On the week they do not have forest school the children will be doing outdoor PE so will need to have their kits in school every day. The children will **need trainers and a tracksuit** for PE.