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Oak Class Newsletter

Autumn Term 2018



Welcome back

We hope you and your child had a well-deserved rest over half term and you made the most of the mild autumn weather. We have a very busy half term ahead!

Show and tell dates:

The much awaited 'show and tell' dates are as follows:

Monday 5th Nov – Aleshia, Amelia, Amelie, Alexandra and Arabella.

Monday 12th Nov – Aurora–May, Cordelia, Elliott, Frank and George.

Monday 19th Nov – Henry, Isaac, Isla, Imogen and Italia.

Monday 26th Nov – Lacey, Logan, Luke, Mabel and Max.

Monday 3rd Dec – Rafe, Romani, Samuel and Seren.

Monday 10th Dec – Scarlett, Spencer and Theo.

Phonics

We are now moving onto the 'phase 5a' sounds listed below:

ay, ou, ie, ea, oy, ir, ue, aw, wh, ph, ew, oe, au, ey, a_e, e_e, i_e, o_e, u_e

We will update your sound pack with these digraphs over the next few weeks.

Keep an eye on our phonics board to see which ones we will be looking at each week. You can find more information and games to support phonics at www.phonicsplay.co.uk and www.letters-and-sounds.com

Reading- HELP!

Reading is such an important activity to do at home to support your child, it can make such a difference to their learning at this age.

Your child will start to have a guided reading session every week where they are listened to by a teacher. We also try and listen to them individually on a fortnight rotation.

We would love some more volunteers to hear the children read; either first thing in the morning (even if it's just for 30 mins) or whenever is suitable for you. Please speak to one of us for more info.

Important Dates- more may be added!

November

Thursday 1st November (pm)- All Saints' Enrichment Afternoon.

Friday 9th November – World War I Enrichment Day.

Friday 30th November – Whole school pantomime trip.

December

Monday 3rd December – Making Christingles / service.

Thursday 6th December - Christmas Decoration Morning (and Christmas Jumper Day) = Parents, grandparents and siblings are welcome!

Christmas play dates for KS1:

Evening(6pm) – Tuesday 11th December.

Afternoon(2.30pm)– Wednesday 12th December.

Friday 14th December (After school)- All Saints' Christmas Fair.

Friday 21st December – last day of school and whole school carol service in the church at 2.30, all are welcome!

January

Friday 4th January 2019 – PD DAY.

Monday 7th January 2019 – First day back for the children.

Reminders

Your child needs a named water bottle in school every day. As the Autumn weather can be very unpredictable they will also need a coat.

P.E. is on a **Monday** and **Wednesday**, so your child needs a named kit in school. Earrings will need to be removed and long hair tied back on these days. Thank you.

Keeping in touch

Please take a look at our class page on the school website ☺

Home / school contact books for bus children are checked daily.

If you have any questions or concerns please get in touch, either in the morning when you drop your child off or after school.

Monday	Maths	B	PE	Phonics	L	Literacy	B	Philosophy / PSHE
Tuesday	Maths	R	Literacy	Phonics	U	Topic	R	Art / DT
Wednesday	Maths	E	Literacy	Phonics	N	PE	E	Maths
Thursday	Maths	A	Literacy	Phonics	C	Music	A	R.E.
Friday	Literacy	K	Science	Phonics	H	I.C.T	K	Reading