

Newsletter

Weekly News Week 1

Hello,

Welcome back to Term 4. We hope you and your family have had a lovely break and are ready for another eventful and exciting school term.

This term the children need to be dressed in their summer uniform. Children can wear long pants on cold days and a jumper. If your child is wearing their jumper though they will also need to wear a tie as outlined in the school diary (page 17).

Spelling

Week 1 – oi

The first two weeks are dedicated to learning the oi sound. The main ways of writing the 'oi' sound are 'oi' (coin) and 'oy' (toy). In Week 1 we will focus on 'oi' and in Week 2 we will focus on 'oy'. We use oi in the middle of a word e.g. choice, boil.

Tricky Words this week - 'down' and 'give'.

Maths

Doubles addition will be our main Maths focus in Week 1. Children will need to instantly recite doubles as mental facts and use this knowledge to solve addition sums.

E.g. $4+4=8$ $20+20=40$ $100+100=200$ etc.

During this week children will also be exploring fractions, in particular focusing on quarters.

Grandparents Day

Grandparents and Older Friends Day will be on Friday 3rd November. We hope that Grandparents and older friends mark this date on their calendar and are able to attend. It is always an enjoyable day for all involved. More details to follow.

Classroom Organisation

This term we expect the children to unpack their *own* bag and change their readers independently each day. This will help prepare them for Year 2, where independent organisation is expected.

Have a lovely week.

Kind regards, Kimberley Helps & Amy Penna.

Take Note

Week 1

Monday 16th October

Term 4 Begins

Week 3

Friday 3rd November

Grandparents Day

Week 6

Swimming Week

Further details to come

Reminders:

If your child arrives after the 8.45am bell, please sign in at the front office before coming to the classroom to avoid disrupting the whole class.

Your child needs to wear to bring their hat everyday or they will not be allowed to play at recess and lunch time.

Donations of the following items would be greatly appreciated in our classroom

- * Tissue boxes
- * Wet wipes

Sharing Topic this week

My Holidays

Parent Signature _____