



Knightsbridge Primary School

Primary 2 Newsletter – Term 3



News



Primary 2 are excited to be back at school and are ready to learn lots of new things in 2022. We have been working hard to continue to show our school values of **Kindness, Perseverance and Success** every day within the classroom as well as in the playground. We have enjoyed having time to play and learn together and we are looking forward to another excellent term. This term Mrs Chen will be continuing to work with us in Numeracy, Mrs Donald will be working on RME and Miss Herd will be working with us for a Literacy slot. We are looking forward to starting a new topic as well as working hard during our focus weeks to learn lots of new things. Miss Nicol and all adults who work in our class are so proud of how hard we work and the kindness we show to each other. We are looking forward to another super term together!



What You



Need & When...

Please provide your child with a bottle of water each day to drink in class. This can be taken home daily to be cleaned.

The children can come to school dressed in their P.E. kit on our P.E. day which will be a Friday this term.

As we are still within the winter months please ensure your child comes to school each day with a warm jacket.

Our Learning Summary

Literacy

This term we will focus on the Narrative genre and will be learning about the structure of these texts. We will have regular opportunities to create narrative texts of our own and will be able to share these with our peers to help us improve.

We will continue to develop our reading skills by working in our groups to develop fluency and comprehension. We will focus on reading and writing Fry's words to support us with this.

Numeracy & Maths

This term we will continue to participate in Number Talks to help us expand our reasoning skills. We will also focus on Place Value to help us understand how numbers are formed. This will link with our continued work on number sequences.

Later in the term we will also look at Time. We will be reading both analogue and digital times as well as identifying times in the day when things usually happen (e.g. when do I get up? When do I have my lunch? Etc.)

Health & Wellbeing

This term we will look at Positive Relationships and the part we play in these. We will be learning about our bodies and the correct names for our body parts. We will learn about how we can keep ourselves safe at home, at school and in our communities. We will also discuss choices and change and how we can manage these.

We will continue our work on Emotion Works to help us develop our emotional vocabulary and discuss different regulation strategies for different emotions.

Term 3: Important Dates

- ✓ Tuesday 1st February: Safer Internet Day
- ✓ 21st February: Fairtrade Fortnight
- ✓ 7th March: KPS Book Week
- ✓ 29th and 30th March: Parent consultations.

Interdisciplinary Learning

Our topic this term will be People Who Help Us. We will discuss different professionals and will be able to explain how they help us at home, at school and in our community. We will have opportunities to learn through play such as role play experiences as well as creating artwork.

Communication

Please follow our class Twitter @MissNicolKPS where you can see updates on our learning!

If you would like to speak to myself or another member of staff, please call the school office (01506 434012) to arrange an appointment.

Please check Seesaw for additional updates that are personalised for your child. If you need a password reminder for this platform please let me know.



Home Help



We participate in Word Boost in class. Each week the parent postcard is uploaded to Seesaw with suggestions of ways to practice using our Boost words in context.

Practice reading daily with your child. You can discuss the different characters, setting and vocabulary in the story. You can read fiction and non-fiction texts.

Please also try to count daily with your child. Counting forwards and backwards is very important to build numerical fluency at this stage. If you would like a challenge you could try skip counting in 2s, 5s or 10s.