

How you can help at home.



Reading

- Reading at home with your child a minimum of 4 times a week will enable your child to make the maximum progress in reading. This does not have to be a class-reading book. If you require any further reading books for your child please don't hesitate to speak to the class teacher.



Writing

- Encourage your child to practice their writing at home such as writing a recount of an exciting day out or a set of instructions. Check for capital letters, full stops and ask them if they can read it back to check it makes sense.
- Practice spellings using spelling frame for weekly spelling test.
- Key word practice.



Numeracy

- Telling the time would be a fantastic advantage to the children.
- Learning 10 and 5 times tables.



Useful Websites

- * My Maths using your personal logins.
- * Mathletics www.mathletics.co.uk

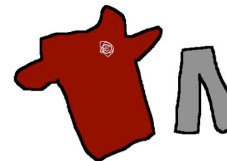


Class L3 & L4 Half Termly Newsletter

9th January 2015



We Work, We Play,



We Care, We Pray



Half Termly Overview of Work



Literacy

We are really looking forward to learning stories with patterned and predictable language. Some of our books for this half term will be looking closely at are the 'Charlie and Lola' books. We will be sending home our class story map to practice at home.



Numeracy

We will be really busy this half term, we are looking at money, number and place value and mass and weight. We will be learning to add and subtract money, as well as finding change. We will also be using standard units to estimate and measure mass (kg/g) using a scale and comparing and ordering mass and recording results.

Class Routines



Dinner Money

Please advise the office if there are any changes regarding your child's lunch this term.



PE Kit

P.E will now take place on Tuesdays and Fridays. Please ensure your child's P.E kit remains in school until the end of term.



Snack

Snack Money is £1 to be paid each Monday. This money is also used for extra curricular activities that all children take part in.



Dates to remember

Parent Consultation Meetings 11th and 12th February.



Science

Our Topic will be Uses of everyday materials. In this area we will be looking at the different types of materials and their properties. We will be learning about similarities and differences between materials by sorting and classifying.



Topic

This term our exciting topic is; How did Grace help the RNLI? We will be looking at who Grace Darling is and why she is famous. We will be visiting the RNLI Centre in Lytham and building our own boats focusing on DT and Art. In this topic we will also be learning about different light sources and making comparisons past and present.



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Jesus friend to everyone.



Computing

Learning about what algorithms are and express them using flow charts.



PE

Basic principles of Gymnastics and dance.



Homework

Each Friday homework will be given out to be completed for the following Wednesday. This term your child will be given a workbook to complete work at home to prepare them for SAT tests. Homework must be completed on time each week.