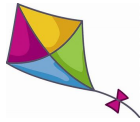




Broadmayne First School Weekly Reminder

Week Beginning: Monday 22nd June



Whole School Reminders:



This week we will be 'flying high' by focusing on the following Learning Attribute:

We are Safe when we show Truthfulness

We will get stars in our jar by showing

- Telling the whole story
- Living without lies
- Making the right choices
- Searching for the truth
- Having the courage to be honest

Heart Smart: Fake is a Mistake!

British Value: Rule of Law - following our school Values

Whole School Reminders

Forest School groups change this week. Please check your class information below for extra sessions.

Please sign up to the Arbor App in preparation for September. Please ask the office about any issues.

Reception

Wow! What an amazing sports week we had. We were so impressed by the children's perseverance - from learning archery skills to being put through our paces in bootcamp, the children gave 100% and we could not be more proud of them.

Phonics: We recently sent home a 'tricky word' mat. Please use this to support your child at home.

Writing: As readers and writers we will share the text 'One Day On Our Blue Planet' as we continue to explore the seaside. The children have been making excellent links between the texts shared so far, for example they noticed in both 'Clean Up' and 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley' a plastic bag put a turtle in danger!

Maths: As mathematicians we will revisit the concept of grouping. We will use real life objects to support our learning. You could try this at home - for example six strawberries could be grouped into three groups of two.

Topic: We will continue to explore the topic of beside the seaside by creating sea creature art work.

Things to remember... Please keep reading! It's a busy time of year for everyone, but it is important that regular reading continues in order to support transition to Year One.

Year 1

What an amazing Sports Week! We had such a busy week and the children showed great resilience!

Thank you to those parents and grandparents who volunteered to either support our swimming sessions or were brave enough to support our whole class sewing session! We are always grateful!

Here is what we will be getting up to next week:

English: In our story Lila and the Secret of the Rain, we read the word 'higher'. We are going to explore comparatives this week and touch on superlatives. The children will be adding the suffixes -er and -est. In addition, we will be rewriting the story of Lila and the Secret of the Rain.

We are learning to spell: high, higher, highest, low, lower, lowest

Phonics: We have started 'Switch It Mitch'. Mitch is a character from the Supersonic Phonics Friends scheme and he helps us to understand the 'looks the same, sounds different rule.' This teaches us that a single letter or spelling can produce more than one different sound. This week we are focusing upon the letters u, ow, ie, ea and a.

Maths: We are continuing our learning about money. We are recognising coins, notes and counting coins. **It would be really helpful if you showed your child coins over the weekend so they are exposed to the size, shape, colour and values of 1p, 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p, £1 and £2.**

Science: We are learning about amphibians, reptiles and fish.

Geography: As you can see from the Home Activity sheet, we are learning about how our villagers in Mugarameno, Zambia uses the River Zambezi. For our home activity, we are drawing a river and how we use rivers in England.

DT: We may be evaluating our hand puppets this week!

PE: Swimming on Monday and Friday. **Again, volunteers would be appreciated.**

Things to remember:

- Swimming kits for Monday and Friday.
- Coats - so we can go out in the rain!!
- Sun tan cream if we get fantastic weather!
- Please keep reading! It's a busy time of year for everyone, but it is important that regular reading continues in order to support transition to Year Two.

Year 2

Wow what a week we have had! All year 2's were persevering and resilient when trying a new skill and enjoyed meeting and talking to expert athletes.

This week, we have an additional forest school session for the whole year group to experience different weathers and hopefully spot some seasonal changes. We will be there all of Thursday morning so will need to once again bring in wellies and water proofs to be prepared for any weather for this week only.

Maths:

Children learn about quarter, half, three-quarter and full turns, as well as using clockwise and anticlockwise. They will draw shapes and predict what the shape will look like after turning.

English:

Next week the children will explore seaside poetry by imagining the sights, sounds and sensations of the beach. They will build a bank of descriptive words and use these to write their own 'senses' poems. We will then improve their poems by adding adjectives and expanded noun phrases. Later in the week, they will have fun learning about alliteration through tongue twisters. To finish, the children will practise performing tongue-twister poems to the class.

We are learning to spell: use, only, does, goes

Science:

Next week the children will be diving into seaside-themed poetry. They'll imagine the sights, sounds and sensations of the beach and use these ideas to create their own senses poems. They will then develop their writing by adding descriptive language to make their poems even more detailed. Later in the week, they'll explore alliteration through fun tongue twisters and finish by performing these to the class.

DT:

We will be finding out all about where fish come from.

Computing:

We will be making our own animations in computing this week, using skills and tools already taught to build new algorithms and predict sequences.

P.E:

Back to normal swimming times this week - Monday 10-11, Friday 11-12.

Reminders:

Please keep bringing in coats as the weather is constantly changing!
Swimming kits for Monday and Friday sessions.

Forest school on Thursday (Wellies and Waterproofs in labelled bag please!).

Thank you!

Year 3

Weekly news: We had a great Sports Week! The children showed great perseverance when trying new skills and their enthusiasm was contagious. We are very proud of them all.

Our learning this week -

Maths: We will be starting our new maths topic - statistics. We will start by looking at how information is represented in pictographs and bar charts.

English: We will be continuing our book Arthur and the Golden Rope. We will be looking at how to add clauses into sentences to add detail and engage the reader.

We are learning to spell: This week we will be learning which end with 'tion'. They are **action, affection, celebration, education, emotion, infection, invention, (investigation), meditation, station, vacation**. We will be focusing on how to spell these words by developing our understanding of how the root word changes.

Science: This week we will be exploring and investigating how magnetic force can act at a distance.

Heartsmart: This week we will be learning about some of the small steps we can follow to help others who are injured.

History: This week we will be learning about King Athleston and his role in Anglo-Saxon history.

PE: PE will be swimming on Monday and Friday as before.

Reminders: Please keep bringing in coats as the weather is constantly changing!
Swimming kits for Monday and Friday sessions.

Year 4

What a wonderful week we all had last week! The children threw themselves into every activity that was on offer and blew us all away with their determination and resilience throughout the entire week.

A snippet of our learning next week:

English: In English the children will be beginning to innovate a playscript to make changes and improvements to dialogue and stage directions. The children will begin to learn how playwrights develop plot and character throughout a script.

We are learning to spell: International, Reappear

Redecorate, Submerge, subzero

Maths:

Science: This week the children will be looking at the positive impact that humans can have on the environment and begin to discover new ways that humans can help habitats. The children will be able to explain why some changes have a positive effect and some have a negative effect on the environment and explain how we can make our local environment better through change.

DT:

PE: Swimming will be on Monday and Friday as usual next week.

Music: This week will see the beginning of Year 's end of year production rehearsals.