

Messages:

Hello,

Please make sure you check the website for these weekly updates. As a one off this week we are sending out a paper copy to remind you to check online.

We are starting to invite you in to see a phonics lesson in action. Please make sure you wear a mask when coming into school. We cannot wait to show you how we learn. Rough timing will be 8.45- 9.20.

Please remember book bags get changed on Mondays. Please write in their reading record daily after you have read with them.

As the weather is getting colder, please make sure your child is dressed appropriately. If the forecast says it may rain please bring them in a waterproof and ideally a pair of wellies to change into.

There are lots of conkers falling from the trees right now and we need your help to collect as many as possible. If you could hand any into your class teachers we would love to have a big collection as they are such a great natural resource.

Topic:

We are continuing our core book, 'Along Came a Different' and will be learning to innovate (change) the story and acting it out.

Talking about how difference is a thing to be celebrated and linking this with our RE topic of special occasions.

We will also be looking at Remembrance Day on Thursday and having fun with poppy art.



Phonics:

In phonics we have now learnt the following sounds:



We will be reviewing previous sounds and starting to try and blend sounds to say words.

A great way to help at home is play 'Simon Says'.

EG) Simon says, touch your h-ea-d.

Simon says s-i-t down

We will be sending home phonics homework for the next few weeks, so please practice the sounds (not letter names) with them.

Maths:

In maths this week, we will be focusing shapes – 2D shapes. Go on a shape hunt in the house/park. How many circles/squares/ triangles did you find?