

F1 Weekly News



22.9.25

Literacy – This week we will be learning the story ‘The Little Red Hen’. We will learn it through a process called storymaking, where we will not be looking at a book of the story, but we shall be learning it through repetitive retelling and actions. There will be lots of opportunities for the children to act out the story, create story maps and even put on a puppet show!! Hopefully they may come home and be storytellers with you!

Phonics – The children are doing so well with learning their new letters (graphemes) and sounds (phonemes). We are very impressed. We understand that some children may find writing the letters a bit tricky, but we will practise lots at every opportunity.

Now we have learnt some sounds we have explored putting them together to make words. We then sound out the letters to blend them together to read. The children are becoming readers!!! Have a go at home! We will hopefully send out reading books to the children by the end of the week.

Maths – We will continue to explore sorting and matching this week. There will be lots of discussion and opportunities to think about how we can sort various objects. We will talk about how we can sort objects and create a set of objects that are together. We will play a ‘Guess the Rule’ game where we will have to determine how the objects/pictures are sorted and then we will have our own opportunity to create our own sorting rule to see if our friends or teachers can guess it!

Other learning – we will continue to discuss the school values in more detail. These values are; *Kindness, Friendship, Respect, Responsibility, Honesty, Perseverance, Faith and Forgiveness.*

This week we will focus on **Respect**. We will talk a lot about what this means and how we show it to both other people – friends, other children, family members and adults. We will also think about how we show respect to property – for example the toys and resources we play with.

Show and Tell; As the children are so settled and great at the end of the day routine, we decided to start this earlier, so it starts this week! Please remember this is to be done via Tapestry. Please upload a picture or video your child would like to share with the class. The object can be of anything e.g. a toy, trip or activity and the video can be of your child showing their object. We will then share these with the children in class via our large interactive board.

Pastoral Groups session – on Tuesday we will take part in our first Pastoral group session. This is where the children will complete an activity within a group of children from each year group and with a different adult in school. It is a lovely way for the children to get to know people around school.

Wednesday 24th September – Whole school Flu vaccination – you will have received communication regarding this.

Thank you

I Like Being Me Song

(Sing to the tune of 'This Old Man'.)

You are you,
I am me,
There's no one else that we can be!
So we stand up tall,
No matter what they say,
I like being me every day!

