

F1 Weekly News



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English – The children have done so well in their phonics and learning all those sounds! This week in our Literacy we will apply these skills to make CVC words. We will practise lots of sounding out and finding the corresponding letter, we will use magnetic letters to make the words and have a go at writing them.

Phonics – This week we will continue to learn more sounds and practise applying our phonic skills in reading and writing. The children are doing so well in their phonics, and we are very proud of them. We will learn some more Rotten Reds and think about how we use them in sentences.

Maths – This week, the children will build on their subitising skills. They will continue to use 'perceptual' subitising – instant recognition – by saying the number of sounds that they can hear, such as claps or drum beats, without needing to count. They will be encouraged to look closely at small quantities and observe whether the quantity has changed or only the arrangement. The children will also be encouraged to represent quantities in different ways by using a number of fingers on one hand. Some children will be able to show an amount 'all at once' while others will need a lot more practice to be able to do this.

Dental Nurse visit – Monday 12th October – We will be visited by a dental nurse during the morning. We will think about and explore the importance of keeping our teeth healthy, looking at foods/drinks that are not good for our teeth and how to clean them properly.

Flu vaccinations – Wednesday 14th October – whole school Flu vaccinations, you would have received communication regarding this and information relating to permission etc.

Fire Engine visit – Friday 16th October – In the afternoon the local firefighters and their fire engine will visit us! They will talk to us about the importance of keeping safe and what to do in an emergency. They will show us their uniforms, and we will be able to look around the fire engine!! There may even be the chance to have a go with the water hoses!!!

Library – We are hoping to organise visiting the library on alternate Thursday afternoons from after half term. If you have gone through the volunteer procedure for school and it is all complete, please come and let us know if you are able to offer help with our visits to the library. Ideally, we will need an extra 4 people.

Thank you

Make a New Friend Song

(Sing to the tune of 'I'm a Little Teapot'.)

If you're feeling lonely,
And quite sad,
Make a new friend,
And you'll be glad.
Give someone a smile,
Don't feel bad,
There is lots of fun to be had!
Making lots of new friends,
Every day.
Sharing the toys,
That's the way.
When they come on over,
You can say,
"Let's be friends and we can play!"

