



Acorns Newsletter

Autumn 2 Term 2023-24



Upcoming Diary Dates:

Children in Need -
17th November

Christmas Light Walk -
7th December

Cromer Church Carol
Service - **18th December**

Christmas Dinner Day -
19th December



General Class News:

Welcome back we hope you have had a enjoyable half term. It's lovely to see and hear from the pupils about everything they have done during the break.

This term we will continue to have show and tell and weekly celebrations in class every Friday. This has been a really positive experience for pupils to learn and celebrate each other.



Maths

This term the class will be looking at addition and subtraction. Addition and subtraction are among the first maths skills children are taught, and are key in developing their number sense. The pupils will be adding single digit, 2-digit and 3-digit numbers up to 100. We will use a range of physical objects such as counters, numicon and many other resources to aid learning if required.

English

This term we will be starting to split into our groups for Read Write Inc. This is when we will focus on our phonic work. In English we will be working on the topic, The North Pole. We will be reading stories around letters and communication to enable us to learn about how we communicate by using letters. By the end of the term we hope to send our own letters to The North Pole.

RSHE

This term we will be looking at the topic of relationships both in person and online. We will be looking at the importance of self—respect and how this affects our own happiness. We will then begin looking at online safety and the importance of not sharing personal information and safety around online games.

Science

This term we will be looking at living things and their habitats. We will explore by creating our own food chains and making our own habitats using junk models. We will also become explorers around our school grounds to discover our own minibeasts habitats.

PE

During this half term lessons will be moving into the gym where students will learn the basic skills of Basketball. We will be looking at dribbling, passing and shooting techniques. We will then look to put all these skills together and play a mini game following the rules.

Reminders

Swimming will start again on Friday 6th October until Friday 8th December please can you provide all swimming gear required. Swimming will be every **Friday**.

PE will continue to every **Tuesday** now with the weather changing please children have a named PE kit in school and a pair of trainers.

Outdoor learning will continue every **Wednesday** please send children with appropriate footwear and outdoor clothing.

Snacks—please can a snack be supplied daily.



Any other useful information

Pupils can use this website to practice their phonic work and maths if they wish too. This website has fun interactive games that the pupils are familiar with:
<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>