



Acorns Newsletter

Spring Term 1 2023-24



Upcoming Diary Dates:

Number Day -

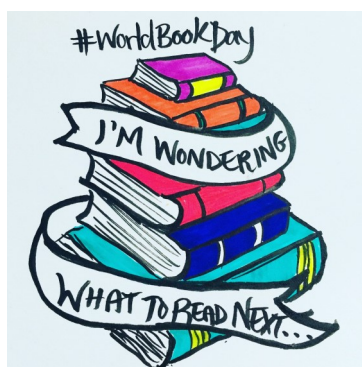
2nd February

Safer Internet Day -

7th February

World Book Day -

7th March



General Class News:

Welcome back!

We cannot believe we are already in 2024 and starting the second term of learning.

Spring Term is always a short one and we have so much learning to enjoy and explore. Alongside subjects mentioned we will be learning about life in France, Noah's Ark, cooking a range of nutritional dishes and exploring the outside for signs of spring.

Thank you for your continued support, if you have any questions or concerns please contact our class team and we will be happy to help.

Ms Harty, Mr Schulz and Ms Parker



Maths

This term we will be covering shapes, money, multiplication and division. We will be learning by using a range of resources, activities and games. We will be practising times tables help us understand number relationships, and to see patterns in numbers. This term we will be focusing on the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables.

English

We will be looking at stories set in fantasy worlds. We will look at a range of fantasy worlds from a range of stories and use our imaginations to create our own worlds/characters.

Here is a link to familiarise your child with some fantasy stories. This website includes some great stories you can watch <https://www.literacyshed.com/the-fantasy-shed.html>

RSHE

This term we will be looking at being safe. During this term we will talk about physical contact and how growing up changes the body. If you have any concerns regarding this please contact one of the staff members from Acorns via email or telephone.

Science

We will be exploring everyday materials including wood, plastic, metal, water and rock. During our lessons we will be learning to identify and name the materials and will have the opportunity to explore the properties of these materials through experiments.



PE

This term we will be learning a range of skills during gymnastics, racket sports and Zumba. PE will continue to be on Tuesdays so please can you ensure appropriate clothing is brought in.



Reminders:

With the weather still being cold please can you ensure you have appropriate clothing to keep your child warm during breaks and learning involved outside.

Tuesdays—PE kits suitable for indoor and outdoor learning.

Wednesdays—Outdoor learning—Hats, coats, gloves and wellies would be great please.

Fridays —Swimming , please ensure your child has swimming trunks, towel and goggles (if wanted).

Links for learning

Topmarks— Maths and English games.

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/letters-and-sounds>

Alphablocks— Games and videos on telling stories and making words using phonics.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/alphablocks>