

St George Class Newsletter



Dear Parents

I hope you all had a good half term. The following is a rough guide as to what we will be looking at and what is happening this half term during the run up to Christmas. If you have any questions please ask and we will try our best to help.

Mornings

The children have settled into the routines and are keen to get started. After some play time the children come to the carpet for the register before doing Wake and Shake exercises.

If children bring in a snack, could you please remind them before they come into school to put it in their drawer so they can get to it easily during the day rather than leaving it in their book bags. It would also help if they put hats, gloves and scarves in their drawers to get to easily and **please make sure they are named.**

We have a blue book in the classroom in the register and letter tray. If there are changes in arrangements for home time please let us know when you drop your child off and we will write it in the book or please telephone the office. We must have your permission to release your child into the care of someone other than yourselves (even other family members). If you have forgotten to pass on a message and haven't remembered to phone school, then we will need to ring to confirm arrangements with you before we let the children go. If it is going to be a regular arrangement where someone else will be picking up it would be a good idea to email the office or speak to Mrs Creasey so we have a record of it which will save you from ringing up every time.

PE

Our PE will usually be on a Monday doing some yoga and Wednesday using the larger equipment so on these days children need to come to school wearing their PE kit.



Wellies

Thank you for all sending in a named pair of wellies. We have put them to good use and we will continue to use them when we go out for outdoor learning sessions. If you think that your child may have grown out of the ones in school please ask us and we can send them home to check and you can replace them if needs be.

Topics

Over this half term we will be covering the following themes, Diwali and Remembrance Day before moving onto castles linking to St George and the Dragon, winter and Christmas. We had planned to cover St George during our first half term but focused on classic familiar stories which the children had thoroughly enjoyed. If the children's interests change, we may make slight changes along the way.

We have had a great first half term and really looking forward to what Autumn 2 has in store for us. Photos are posted on Tapestry regularly so please make sure you log in frequently to see what we have been getting up to.



If you have any questions please do not hesitate to let me know and we can arrange to have a chat.

Mrs Whaley and Mrs Parker