



Hummingbird Class Newsletter

27.2.26

We have had a fantastic start to our Spring 2 term. The children have had a visit from the road safety team this week to teach us all about how to be safe when we are near roads and crossing them. If possible, we are asking for parents to spend 10 minutes a night reading with their child if this is possible.

English

We have started our new text 'owl and the Pussycat'. The children have explored different vocabulary and their meanings.

Maths

In Maths, we have started our topic of Pictograms. The children have been learning how to read, interpret, analyse and construct their own picture graphs with confidence.

Science

In Science, our unit this half term is Plants. The children have been exploring how seeds need water to germinate. As a class we have planted two seeds in different pots. We are going to water one seed and not water the other seed to see what happens.

History

In History this half term, the children will be completing local area studies. They will be looking into the history of the area of Whiston.

Geography

In Geography, we are exploring the differences between England and Kenya. We have been exploring Kenya's capital city of Nairobi and the similarities and difference with both Nairobi to London.

PSHE

In PSHE, the children are starting our new topic of Healthy me. The children will explore different ways to keep both our mind and body healthy.

ART

For our Art this half term, we are beginning our topic of printing. The children will have been using different fruits and vegetables such as potatoes to create positive and negative patterns using their object and ink.

RE

In RE, the children have been learning about Palm Sunday and understanding the importance of Palm Leaves.

PE

This half term we are completing Ball Skills and Ball games. The children have been using varied size balls and aiming at different targets.

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Daily Reading at home

Please spend 10 minutes reading with your child, and record this in their reading records, it helps them to become confident and fluent readers who can move through the Read, Write Inc scheme. We have spoken to the children about taking ownership for this and being able to write in their own records when parents are busy. The children have been enthusiastic about having this responsibility. We appreciate your support from home.

Uniform

Please ensure your child's uniform is labelled clearly with their name. This will really support staff in returning any lost uniform.

Water Bottles

Please ensure your child has a water bottle with them in school each day.

Star of the week

Zara

Thank you for your continued support

Miss Boyd