



Rye Community Primary School

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We hope that you all enjoyed the holidays. We are looking forward to developing our outside space even further; ready for the warmer weather. This term's topic is 'Into the Woods'. Our core text is Little Red Riding Hood and we will be learning about looking after the environment and one another.

Reading

Please continue to support your child within the phonics skills; by practising their assigned e-book or the reading book sent home every day. In addition, we would like to remind you to share your child's reading passport with them regularly – the idea is that the children learn these stories, the vocabulary within them and can answer questions about the books. Reading journals need to be in school every day.

Development check point for this point of the year

All children should be blending sounds within simple words.
Most children should be reading simple sentences independently.
Some children will be reading with prosody and expression.

Maths

This term the class will be learning numbers beyond ten. The lessons will focus on solving subtraction and addition problems practically. We will be exploring capacity and rotating shapes.

Development check point for this point of the year

All children should be able to count up to 10 objects correctly and match to the correct corresponding numeral.
Most children should be creating their own repeating patterns.
Some children will be able to recall the number bonds to ten eg. $0+10$, $1+9$, $2+8$, $3+7$, $4+6$, $5+5$, $6+4$, $7+3$, $8+2$, $9+1$, $10+0$

PE

PE will be on a Friday. All children must have the correct PE kit in school.

- Black shorts/joggers/leggings
- white t-shirt (with or without school logo),
- black plimsolls or trainers.

Please ensure long hair is tided back and no jewellery is worn. Earrings that cannot be removed will be taped up by staff.

Homework

Homework is set every Friday. Children have one week to complete their homework. All children are expected to complete all of their homework for Reading Eggs and Maths Seeds. If you have any issues with supporting your child in completing their homework at home please speak to a member of the team. Watch this space for some new homework books too!

FYI in Key Stage One and Two children that do not complete their homework at home are required to complete their homework in break time at school.



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Forest School

Forest School will be on Fridays. Children should bring a change of clothing and footwear for Forest School. Wellies are essential. Even when the weather gets warmer, children need to have their arms and legs covered to avoid stings and scratches from nature.

Milk

A reminder that we are now working with 'Cool Milk' as part of the school milk programme. If your child is under 5 years the milk is provided free of charge. If your child is over 5 and you would like them to still have a carton of milk then you can order it via www.coolmilk.com

We need your help!

We are learning about growing! Please can you send in some pictures of your child as a baby and any other key moments.

We are also turning green fingered this term, so would be grateful for any donations of planting equipment.

Thank you for your support

Mrs. Isted