



Foundation Stage
Spring Term Newsletter



Welcome back and happy new year. We hope you all had a lovely festive holiday.

Now the weather has changed and the cold weather is here, it is even more important that your child has suitable outdoor clothing with them - a warm coat, hat, gloves etc. As always, please can you ensure that all clothing and shoes/wellies are named.

We value the links between home and school; please do continue to record any exciting things your child has been up to or your child's achievements/interests in Reading, Writing and Mathematics at home in their yellow books. The children love to share their news with the rest of the class and it helps to develop their confidence to speak in front of others.

The children loved the making and baking last term, so this is something we would like to continue to do. If you are able to contribute £1 towards the cost of ingredients/resources this term, it would be much appreciated.

We will continue to share things weekly on our Foundation Stage Blog - this is our way of sharing what we get up to and also any home learning activities will be posted on there. Please do have a look regularly/weekly and if you have time why not leave us a comment.

Some reminders;

- Open Classroom will now run on a **Thursday 2.45pm - 3.05pm.**
- **P.E** will continue to take place on **Thursdays.**
- **FS2** Reading books will be changed weekly, so please ensure your child's book is in their bag each day. All Library books will continue to be changed weekly. **Please** could you have a check and hunt at home for any school books you might still have. We are missing several library and reading books.

As you all know, this month Miss McIntyre will be leaving us to have her baby. Her last day will be Wednesday 25th January. I know I will be leaving Foundation Stage in the amazing hands of Mrs Gardner and Mrs Laughton, with the support of Mrs Gell and Mrs Atkinson, so no major changes which is the continuity we wanted for the children.

We would like to say a huge thank you for all the lovely Christmas gifts you gave us all. They really were not expected but are very much appreciated so thank you!

We had a fantastic term last year and we are all looking forward to the exciting things a new term brings.

Thank you, The Foundation Stage Team