

Bramley Sunnyside Infant School

Newsletter 18

Spring 1: 25th January 2019

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School Matters!



Spring Fair – Wednesday 13th February 2019 3.00pm – 4.30pm

Thank you for donations received so far for our Spring Fair.

Remember to join us after school on Wednesday 13th February.

(Any donations of cakes, toiletries, soft toys or items for raffle prizes will be greatly received up until the day of the Fair)



Reading Champions – WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We now have three volunteers across school who are able to come into school at 2.30pm to share books with children. If you feel you could offer a little time to do this, please contact the office urgently. You do not need to commit to every day, even one half hour will make the world of difference.

Please contact the school office on 01709.543061 to give your details.

FS1 Falconry Visit - Polite reminder

We still have a large number of pupils who do not have consent to take part in this visit. Please log on to your School money account to do this and make payment. This will be live until next Thursday (31st January 2019). After this date, we will assume you do not wish your child to take part in this Falconry experience.

FS 1 Happy Home Learning

This week we have been learning the phoneme s, what can you find around your home and beginning with the letter s. We have also been learning about number 3, can you child show you 3, give you 3 toys etc. You could also enjoy the number blocks 3 <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/numberblocks-the-three-song>

FS2 Homework

Literacy

In literacy this week we have been looking at the different ways we can retrieve information about London. Use google to find out some interesting facts/information you can find about London. Print it out or write it in your homework book.

Maths

In maths this week we have been learning about 2D shapes, their names and properties. Make a sandwich (e.g. jam, ham) and talk about the shape of it. Is it a square? A rectangle? Cut your sandwich in half diagonally. How many parts do you have now? What shape have you made? (Triangle). Halve it again. Now how many parts do you have? How many parts make the whole sandwich? Now eat your delicious sandwich.

Year 1 Homework

Spellings – whale where which toy boy enjoy

What other words can you spell with the 'wh' and the 'oy' sound?

Science – Name some woodland animals. What do they eat?

Maths – Practise writing numbers 11-20 in words. E.g. eleven, twelve etc.

Year 2 Homework

Maths

Count in twos fives and tens forwards and backwards. How many twos, fives and tens are in these numbers?

4 7 10 14 15 17 20

e.g. 9, there are 4 twos in 9 (and one extra), there is 1 five in 9 (and 4 extra) There are no tens in 9

Literacy

Write some sentences about your visit to The Deep. Use a conjunction in each of your sentences.

You could use these conjunctions: **and but when because as**

Spellings

other brother mother nothing Monday would should could poor floor

Reading Race

Last week the Autumn 2 winners, Class 7, had a fantastic pirate party at Wickersley Library! They went on a treasure hunt in search of pirate clues, played pirate party games and made wonderful pirate hats! The Reading Race has now started again for Spring 1 – let’s see which class will win the next reading treat! The next treat is a brand new theme of Princesses and Knights, planned especially for us! Keep up the home reading!

Average read per child:

<u>Unit/Class</u>	<u>Week 1</u>	<u>Week 2</u>	<u>Week 3</u>	<u>Week 4</u>	<u>Week 5</u>	<u>Week 6</u>
Unit 2	2	4				
Unit 3	2	2				
Unit 4	4	4				
Class 5	4	3				
Class 6	2	2				
Class 7	4	4				
Class 8	4	4				
Class 9	2	2				
Class 10	3	3				

So far, Unit 4, Class 7 and Class 8 are reading the most at home. Let’s try and get each class to achieve at least an average read of 4 times a week and match them!

“The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more you learn, the more places you’ll go.” Dr. Seuss

Number of reads per class:

<u>Unit/Class</u>	<u>Week 1</u>	<u>Week 2</u>	<u>Week 3</u>	<u>Week 4</u>	<u>Week 5</u>	<u>Week 6</u>
Unit 2	70	94				
Unit 3	51	58				
Unit 4	109	99				
Class 5	84	75				
Class 6	66	67				
Class 7	113	121				
Class 8	85	97				
Class 9	45	53				
Class 10	92	119				

National Storytelling Week

Next week is National Storytelling Week! To celebrate we will be doing lots of exciting story-telling activities throughout the week. On Monday, we’re doing a whole-school Story Time Swap so children can choose which class they go to for a story. We will also be doing Reading Buddies where older children will

buddy up with younger children to read together. On Friday 1st February, children can bring a book from home into school to share with their friends.

Inset Days

In 2018/19 the school will be closed to all children on the following days to allow for staff training.

Friday 15th February 2019
Friday 28th June 2019
Monday 22nd July 2019

Please note, the **school will be closed to Foundation Stage 1 Pupils only on Thursday 27th June** to allow the induction of new FS1 September starters to take place.

Holiday Dates

February Half Term- 18th February 2019 (1 week)
Easter – 15th April 2019 (2 weeks)
May Day – 6th May 2019
Spring Bank – 27th May 2019 (1 week)
Summer – 23rd July 2019 (22nd July –inset day) (6 weeks)

Diary Dates

31/1/19 Movie Night Classes 5 & 6
31/1/19 YR1 Family Learning Sessions (Wacky Races) 1.15-3pm – details to follow
Week commencing: 4th February 2019 Stay and Learn Sessions
1/2/19 Y1 Falconry Visit in school
1/2/19 Bring a book from home into school to share with friends
7/2/19 Movie Night Classes 7 & 8
13/2/19 Spring Fair after school
14/2/19 Movie Night Classes 9 & 10
28/2/19 FS2 Family Learning Sessions (Bring books to life) 1.15-3pm – details to follow
23/5/19 FS1 Family Learning Sessions (Family Recycle IT) 1.15-3pm – details to follow
Week commencing 4th March – Parent Consultations