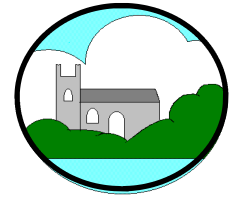


Mawnan School Newsletter



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16th Nov. '12

CLASS CURRICULUM INFORMATION

CLASS 1

Literacy: Writing their own versions of traditional stories. We will be listening to traditional stories which involve weddings.

Numeracy: Number sentences involving addition and subtraction. We will be using the vocabulary of addition and subtraction and telling stories to explain number problems. We will also be counting in 2's, 5's and 10's.

CLASS 2

Literacy: Mainly non-fiction based on work being done on electricity and simple circuits. At the end of the week we will start to read the Katie Morag books to prepare for the following week.

Numeracy: Measure, mainly capacity and time. But chance to practice weighing as part of cookery activities.

CLASS 3

Literacy: Final week of newspapers and recounts. We will consider these aspects of newspapers and think about how they are used Headline (perhaps alliteration), Introductory paragraph, answering 'open' questions. Please note that there is a Big Write next Thursday so please look out for the talking homework on Wednesday

Numeracy: Derive quickly pairs of two-digit numbers with a total of 100. Find differences between two- and three-digit numbers, e.g. 137 - 72. Multiplying two-digit numbers by single digit numbers. Divide two-digit numbers by single-digit numbers, using chunking.

CLASS 4

Literacy: Acting out and writing our own play scripts.

Numeracy: Fractions and written method for multiplication.

Topic: To make our own model of a river and label its features.

Science: To make predictions about which types of water contain dissolved materials and test these predictions.

Please remember to bring in any extra junk that could be used in our design and technology project.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

- **PTA SECRET SANTA** - Wednesday, 12th December 2012.
- **CHRISTMAS PLAY DRESS REHEARSAL** - 18th December 2012, at 1.10pm.
- **CHRISTMAS PLAY PERFORMANCES** - 19th December 2012, at 1.10pm & 6pm.
- **CAROL SERVICE** - 21st December 2012.
- **CLASS 4 CAMP** - 3rd - 7th June 2013.

CLASS 4 CAMP DEPOSIT

Please remember that a deposit of £100 is due to be paid by the 7th December 2012, to secure your child's place at Camp. 'Savings cards' are still available from Mrs Rawley.

PTA CHRISTMAS CARDS

Please note that the deadline for ordering cards has been extended to Monday, **19th November 2012**. Cards are due back in School on Monday, **10th December 2012**.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Only 3 days to go!

All shoe boxes need to be brought to School for collection by Monday, 19th November at the very latest.

Please remember to enclose £2-50 towards the cost of processing the gift.

As soon as your box is ready, please bring it in to School.

CONSCIOUS PARENTING COURSE

"Come and enjoy an informal evening to learn more about the availability of the next 'Conscious Parenting Course' with Nicky Pilgrim that starts in January 2013. This 12 week course takes place near Falmouth and it teaches new techniques and ways of coping with one of the toughest jobs there is.

***Being a parent is the most important job you will ever have.**

*** Meet some of the parents that have enjoyed the course.**

Testimonial: *My daughter's school grades have rocketed and her whole ethos has changed as a result of our improved communication. She is more confident in speaking up and we now understand each other better when we talk.* Jayne D. Nr Truro Cornwall.

Please join us on Monday, 3rd December 2012, at 2.30pm for an informal discussion about this course.

DATA COLLECTION SHEETS

A 'Data Collection Sheet' has been sent home today for each child. Please check the details carefully and return to School by Friday, **30th November 2012**. All forms must be signed and returned, whether or not there are any amendments.

CLASS 1 - YEAR 1 TARGETS

Our new Year 1 targets are:

Literacy: To recognise a sentence when reading and using a capital letter and full stop to punctuate a sentence when writing.

Maths: To name most of the 2-D and 3-D shapes I use in my work as well as those I see in my classroom and playground.



FRIDAY

14th Dec. 2012

There will be a box in the foyer for donations of dried or tinned goods.

All donations are gratefully received and help families in the local area.

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