



Woodstone Community Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back. We hope you had a wonderful Easter. We are really looking forward to welcoming the children back to an exciting and busy term!

Our topic for this half term is 'On the Farm' and after the half term holiday, we will be thinking about the topic of 'What Can You See in Summer'. Over the term we will be revising and consolidating key learning in both Maths and English. In Maths we will be developing our knowledge and understanding of addition and subtraction, measurement and numerical patterns and also exploring patterns. In our English and Phonics sessions we will continue to reinforce both Phase 2 and Phase 3 phonics. Children will be encouraged to challenge themselves to write independently using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.



You can find a little more information about our curriculum on the Reception Class Page on the school website. Remember you can also keep up to date with events/news from our class in the Reception News Page (also on the website).

Just a couple of points to note for this term:



- The children will continue to visit the School library where they will be able to borrow books to take home. Please could you ensure the children's library books (these are the ones with the barcode inside the front cover) are back in school on a Monday morning so they can be changed in our weekly library slot.
- The children will continue to bring home their 'Maths Challenge' books on a Thursday. This needs to be returned back to School by the following Wednesday.
- This half term the children will have their weekly swimming lesson on a Tuesday afternoon. Please ensure normal P.E. kits are still in school all week and check that this includes a named pair of pumps and trainers in case we decide to do an extra P.E session.
- The children will continue to take part in Forest School sessions every Friday so please ensure they have an appropriate kit in school.
- Please continue to ensure that children's water bottles are named and contain water and not juice.
- Please carry on sharing your child's achievements out of school. Please email our class email address – reception@woodstone.leics.sch.uk
- Please remember the Reading Raffle! Your child needs to only read five times over the week to be entered and therefore have the opportunity of winning a prize.



This half term we will be introducing 'Show and Tell' sessions on a Friday afternoon. In order to ensure children have enough time to share what they have brought into class we will be selecting a few children each week to show the class their special item. Children will bring home a note to say if it is their date for 'Show and Tell'.

Also, this half term we will be supporting the children to be as independent as possible ready for their transition into Year 1.

As always, if you have any questions please don't hesitate to ask. I am always available in the mornings or after school or if you need a longer appointment please contact the school office. Please also feel free to use the class email address reception@woodstone.leics.sch.uk

Kind regards,

Miss R Pickering
