

Under The Sea and Over The Waves

Welcome to our 'Under The Sea and Over The Waves' project which kicks off in term 3! We will continue to be going outdoor lots so be sure to send your child in wearing warm clothes! We are very excited to get stuck into this exciting project which will involve a Pirate Day!

Once again, we are inviting all parents into school to be a part of our learning, drop in dates are below and there will also be maths workshops, where we share ideas for home and you can try some activities with the children. We ask parents to sign up for one of these.

Children will have brought home their holiday scrapbooks so remember to send these back in as we love to see what you got up to!

Class assemblies will be taking place this term. Each class has a different date. These are an opportunity for parents, carers and grandparents to come and share some of the children's achievements. (see dates below)



Phonics and reading - Please do continue reading regularly at home, and don't forget to sign your child's diary! Reading regularly is crucial for children at this stage of development. We are currently working through Phase 3 phonics. We will continue to send home phonics cards so please use these at home with your children, five minutes practise a day really does make all the difference.



There is a phonics and reading workshop on Thursday 2nd February at 2pm in school or 5.30pm on Zoom for all EYFS parents.



Reading books - Hopefully everyone is now in the swing with the new reading packs which have been sent home since the beginning of term 2. Please continue to read these books with the children 3 x a week and record this in their reading diary, alongside other books your child is bringing home. Please remember to return these books weekly as we only have limited copies of each book!



Volunteers- We are still looking for regular, committed volunteers to hear children read across the year group. We love our volunteers, and your assistance is invaluable to the children's learning, especially at the moment! If you are interested, please speak to your class teacher. Note that you will need a valid DBS check in order to volunteer in school. This can be arranged by calling the school office.



Holiday Project

We would like the children to create an under the sea creature, for the corridor for term 2. They can do this in any way they choose. **Please make sure these are named and there is a way to hang up their creations.**



Learning at Pashley

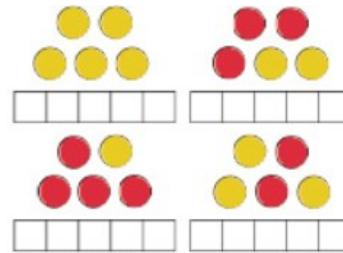
We are going to be enjoying a range of texts this term!



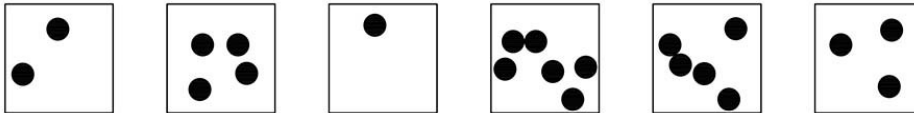
In Maths, we will be looking at...



Ordering



Composition



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Dates for your diary:

Tuesday 3rd January - First day of Term 3

Thursday 12th January - parent drop in 2:15pm (not Squirrels)

Friday 13th January - Squirrel class assembly 2.15pm

Wednesday 18th January - Maths home learning afternoon 2pm (sign up for one)

Thursday 19th January - Maths home learning afternoon 2pm (sign up for one)

Monday 23rd January - Pirate day - Children can come in dressed as pirates!

Thursday 26th January - parent drop in 2:15pm (not Hedgehogs)

Friday 27th January - Hedgehog class assembly 2.15pm

Thursday 2nd February - Reading and phonics workshop 2pm (in the hall) or 5.30pm (on zoom)

Friday 3rd February - Rabbit class assembly 2.15pm

Monday 6th February - INSET

Thursday 9th February - parent drop in 2:15pm

