



DARTINGTON
CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY

Starlings Class Weekly Newsletter

8th October 2021



HOME LEARNING

Please read at least 4 times a week and record what you have read in their reading record. If you require a new reading record, please can you or your child ask me for one. Reading books must be returned on Fridays for me to change in the afternoons. Unfortunately, I cannot give out another reading book unless they have returned their previous one.

Home Learning will be set on Google Classroom on a Friday and should be returned the following Thursday.

Home learning for this week is to login into your child's google classroom using the login slips that I handed out last week. This is so we are fully prepared for parent's evenings if you have chosen video as your preferred method of call. Any questions do ask!

ROUTINES

P.E. days: Wednesdays and Thursdays.
Forest school: Mondays

Dear parents / carers,

Happy October! This week in Starlings class we have been conducting our own science experiments by measuring whether different materials can change shape through squeezing, twisting, stretching and bending! The children noticed that bluetac was the most flexible and could stretch the furthest!



In Maths this week, the year 1s have been ordering numbers from smallest to biggest. They have also compared numbers using their more than, less than and equal to symbols! Our year 2s have had a consolidating week of learning their place value to 100. They have also continued to practice their 2s, 3s, 5s and 10 times tables!

Our geography has been a hit this week; exploring extreme weathers and creating fantastic posters, showing how to keep safe in the sun!

Looking forward to next week, well done everyone!
Miss Zaki

Attendance:

Thank you to everyone for continuing to do everything we can to make sure our children are in school as much as possible. This time of year always brings a lot of coughs and colds and we are grateful for parents being particularly vigilant about ensuring that children are well enough to be in school and in particular making use of the PCR tests available when children show any symptoms. Please continue to bring your child to school if they are well enough unless they've had a positive test result.



Star of the Week

Lottie

For her wonderfully written autumnal haiku poem in English!



Important!

Please remember labelled waterproof coats and water bottles.

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