



DARTINGTON
CHURCH OF ENGLAND ACADEMY

Swallows Weekly Newsletter



Friday 11th March 2022

Reading

Please read at least 4 times a week and record what you have read in your reading record.

Phonics Home Learning

Please continue to share your books and to think about 'special friends', 'fred talk', 'read the word'.

PE

Tuesday: Indoor PE

Wednesday: Outdoor PE

Forest School

Monday

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had another amazing week this week in Swallows. In History we have been finding out all about the first hot air balloons and have designed our own; whilst in maths we have been beginning to subtract numbers to 20. To help the children do this, we have been talking about tens and ones, and the children were brilliant at spotting the patterns in these calculations.

Due to timetabling, our outside P.E. has had to change, and will now be on a Wednesday. Please could you ensure all children have either a P.E. kit in school or are wearing something suitable for running around outside, including suitable footwear. In addition, please could you ensure all children have some wellies in school for them to wear at forest schools on a Monday. The gardens get very muddy at this time of year and unless the children have a change of shoes, the classroom also gets very muddy. Thank you.

As some of you may be aware, the Year 1 children will be undertaking National Phonics Screening during the summer term. If you would like to know more about what this involves, and how you can support your child then please take a few minutes to watch the video at this link:

<https://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/jYN5Bdjo/0uyxoXG8>

If you have any concerns or questions, then please do speak to us or send a message via the office dartington@lapsw.org.

Many thanks,
Mrs Rowe and Mrs Jones

Class Attendance

Please ensure your child attends school every day.

Every day missed is 6 hours of learning lost.



Star of the Week

Rupert – for joining in our maths lesson beautifully and explaining his thinking to the class. He has also been using his imagination to explore his own learning opportunities, asking great questions and thinking about how he can make improvements. 



Important!

Plas ensure your child has wellies in school for Forest School.

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