

ROBINS & **WRENS**

Nursery & Reception









Miss B





Miss Whitehurst





Mrs Mathews

Stars of the week!

Who has sown seeds of our school values: Trust, Peace, Creation and Creativity, Wisdom, Compassion and Love around our school this week?

The Robins Star of the Week is Mara for showing a fantastic resilience all week at school! Super!

The Wrens Star of the Week is Elva for being a lovely friend to her peers in Wrens class. Good girl!

Important messages for next week:

Wrens class parents - Miss B and Miss Whitehurst are looking forward to seeing you for your parents afternoon meetings next week. Please speak to Miss B or Miss Whitehurst on the gate to arrange a time if you would like to hear all about your child's first half term in Nursery.

We have lots planned for this half term before Christmas so please keep an eye on this newsletter for important dates and information that we will be releasing very soon. Also, keep an eye on Mrs Huish's whiteboard next to the main school gate as she often updates it with important dates and information.

If anyone has any spare clothes (particularly trousers/ joggers) and any toy cars that they wouldn't mind donating, our supplies are dwindling, and they would be very much appreciated!

Robins Class Weekly Home Learning:

Maths Fluency

This week in maths, we have been practising subitising one, two, three and four. There is not always a clear answer: some objects contain many numbers. For example, you may see one button and another person might see and subitise the four threading holes. I wonder what numbers you can find in the objects around you?

Writing Fluency

Please complete the 'sound of the day' sheet with your child. We will have already introduced this sound during the school day and it is a lovely opportunity for your child to share their learning with you at home.

Reading Fluency

Read your phonics/library book or something you enjoy each night (even if it is just a page!)

Remember, we give certificates for every 10, 25, 50, and 75 books read!

EYFS Autumn 1 Home Learning Menu

Expressive Arts and Design (Music, DT and Art)

Rehearse and perform parts of the Nativity songs. You can use home-made instruments or even dance along if you wish!

Understanding the World (History, Geography, RE and Science)

Can they tell you about how other religions celebrate Christmas?

Across this term, children complete the daily bitesize

fluency learning (above) and

Communication and Language

Can your child retell you a Traditional Tale as you are out and about on a walk?

Personal, Social, Emotional **Development**

Make a 'Worry Jar' and write your child's worries on small strips of paper. Discuss some worries together to support them in expressing their feelings.

choose a minimum of 3 longer term projects to complete. If the project involves a physical item, please feel free to send it in to class for your child to discuss with the class. Others, you may choose to upload a photo or video to Tapestry.

Physical Development

To support the development of your child's fine motor skills, could your child begin to use correct cutlery when eating their food

Reading For Pleasure

This half term, we love these books. Why not visit the library in Totnes to see if they have a copy of any of them?







