



Netherfield Primary School Year 2 2021



READING

Reading at home is important for your child's reading.

Our Reading Olympics celebrate children's reading.

BRONZE 15 home reads, SILVER 25 home reads, GOLD 40 home reads, RUBY 70 home reads, DIAMOND 100 home reads.

The children will receive prizes and pupil reward points if they read at home! Please support your child's reading.

The children will have their books changed whenever they read with an adult, however if children want to change them then please ask an adult to help. Children will get a library book to share over the weekend with families and our infamous reading Trunkis will soon be on tour too.



Autumn
Term



PROJECT

During the Autumn we will be exploring the theme of **There's No Place Like Home**. Our learning across the curriculum links to homes and where we live. In Geography we will be learning about the physical and human features of Netherfield and Nottingham. In history we will be learning about the history of Goose Fair and in DT we will be making moving rides. How exciting!

After the half term we will be exploring **Bright Lights, Big City** which will include learning about a very famous historical fire and the legend of Robin Hood.

PE

Our PE lessons are on a Thursday morning and are taught by Mr Humphreys and Mr Beet. Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit including appropriate footwear. Children are NOT allowed to wear earrings or jewellery for PE. If earrings can't be removed they must be covered by plasters or mediotape. Thank you.

Dates for your diary

Break up for Autumn half term Friday 22 October

Tuesday 21st September, PM- local area walk- more details to follow. We need a few helpers. Please let us know if you can help.

INSET Day is Monday December 6.



Homework

Homework will be provided in maths and English each Thursday and needs returning by the following Thursday. Returned homework will be logged and kept in a folder with points for those who are consistent with completing it.

Dojo

Please be reassured that Dojo points from Year 1 are saved but will not appear on the Year 2 Dojo.

ENGLISH

Our writing is linked to our projects and we aim to do a variety of texts, stories, non fiction and poetry.

Spellings are tested each Friday and new spellings are given. We practise them at school and we expect children to practise them at home please. We have four sessions of Whole Class Reading, where we share a text together and explore its vocabulary and meaning.

We LOVE stories and are always reading books!

STAFF IN CLASS 3 & 4

Class 3:

Mrs Crawford is the class teacher Monday—Thursday

Mrs Taylor is the class teacher on Fridays

Ms Johnson is the full time teaching assistant

Class 4:

Mrs Chaplin is the class teacher on Monday and Friday

Mrs Hicken is the class teacher Tuesday - Thursday

Mrs Parkin is the teaching assistant Monday—Thursday

Miss Astill is the teaching assistant on Fridays

Mrs Edwards and Mrs Evans work every day

MATHS

In Maths this term we will be learning about time, place value to 100 and addition and subtraction.

We will be reintroducing the NumBot app to help support the children's learning and this can be accessed at home too.

Please find everyday opportunities to discuss and practise maths skills e.g. walking and counting in 2s, 5s, 10s, looking at and reading clocks etc.