



Ofsted Outstanding

Friday 6th October 2023

Rain won't stop our play!

And another week flies by, half term will be here before we know it! The children are really settled into the classroom now and we are proud of the progress they have made. In Acorn class we have enough wellies and wetsuits for all the children so we continue to get outdoors despite the weather trying to deter us. There is no need to send wellies from home.

Next week in the classroom we are junk modelling to create houses and homes. **We** would be grateful of any donations of <u>small</u> cardboard boxes and tubes - cereal boxes and kitchen roll tubes are ideal. **THANK YOU.**



Dates for your diary:

10th October 2023 2:45pm SEND Coffee and Catch Up

12th October 2023 2:30pm Autumn Drop In - families invited to join us in school for some autumnal fun!

20th October 2023 PTA Autumn disco after school, more details coming soon.

Our PE Day is: Monday Next week we will change into FULL PE KIT - we are ready!

Useful Information School Spider:

We use the School spider system for online payments, which is easy to use and offers parents the flexibility to make online payments whenever and wherever – 24 hours a day, 7 days a week! This system allows you to pay for various school related items, such as:

- Paying for toast
- Paying for Breakfast Club

• Trips and Residential Visits – Deposits & Balances You can login via the website (parent link in bottom right corner) or by downloading the app. You will need to register using the email address you supplied to school when registering your child.

If you would like your child to continue receiving a morning snack of toast please pay £5 (subsidised cost) to cover Autumn1 by **Tuesday 10th October**. You can also choose to pay for the whole academic year if you prefer. Fresh fruit is available to all children as a free alternative or addition to toast.

Little Wandle Phonics

Our phonics groups are transient depending on the need of the children, we are constantly moving and shaking to ensure that we have the 'best fit' for the children. Please don't worry if your child mentions they have moved groups.

Next week, I will be informally assessing the phonics learning to date to identify where extra support is needed and celebrate lots of success.

> We're teaching every child to read with .ittle Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised .complete SSP validated by the Department for Education

LETTERS AND SOUNDS REVISED



This week's sounds

Star Reader:

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OUR LEARNING...

This week, we have been inspired by the work of artist Kandinsky and created some colourful pictures of our own, learning to name the primary colours along the way! In Literacy we helped Mr Bear to sleep by designing a bedtime pizza for suppertime. We worked hard to listen for initial sounds when writing our own ingredients lists. In maths, we have been counting upto 3 as well as learning how to write l, 2 and 3 using the number formation rhymes. The children are becoming superstars at subitising in our maths lessons. We also used the tablet this week to play a game focused on bedtime routines, linking seemlessly with our understanding the world curriculum.

Next week, we will listen for initial sounds in words to label the rooms in our homes; k k kitchen, b b bathroom, g g garden.

In our maths sessions we will begin to recognise and understand the concept of the numbers 4 and 5.

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