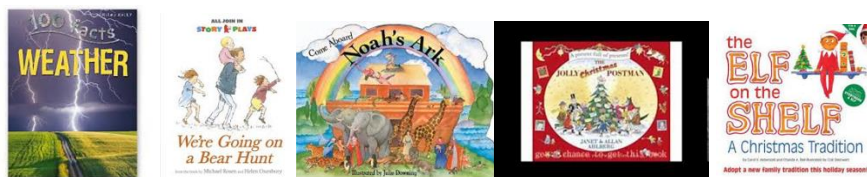


Spruce Autumn 2 Term Newsletter

Welcome to the Autumn 2 term, this term we have an exciting new topic we are covering.



Topic: The Weather



This term we will be exploring the topic of The Weather. We will be looking at fiction and non-fiction books. From this we will learn about different types of weather such as tornadoes, floods and electrical storms. We will be doing activities such as making stain glass kites, making our own rainbows and painting Noah's Ark.

Literacy:

This term we will begin to write simple sentences by blending sounds together in words and using finger spaces to separate these words. We will be writing weather reports, thinking about describing words, writing lists and adding words to story maps.

Maths:

This term we will be thinking about weight and using the words heaviest and lightest to compare weight. We will explore floating and sinking and make predictions about which items will float and sink. We will look at symmetry as well as ordering numbers and counting in twos.

Upcoming Events

Thursday 1st November – School Open Day for perspective parents

Friday 16th November – Datchet's got talent

Thursday 20th November – Founders Day Church Service

Friday 14th December EYFS Christmas show 9.30 am and 2.30pm

Activities to do at home:

- **Please read daily with your child.** Once your child has read their book 3 times then please place it in the red tray with their reading record for changing.
- Please can reading books and reading records be left in book bags daily as we will read with each house group once a week
- Please help your child to complete their **activity packs** weekly and return to school by Thursday.
- **Doodle Maths** is a great support for children's maths. Please encourage your child to do their 6 a day every day. Please do not help children with the answers as it will assess their knowledge and give them questions tailored to their developing mathematical knowledge.
- Please look at one **Bug Club** book a week with your child as these books are great for developing early comprehension skills.

This Term PE will be on a Wednesday morning.