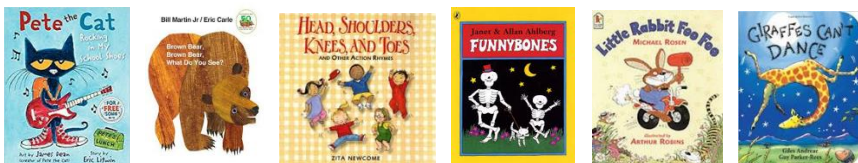


Spruce Autumn 1 Term Newsletter

Welcome to the Autumn 1 term, this term we have an exciting new topic we are covering.



Topic: This is me



This term we will be exploring the topic of This is me. We will be looking at fiction and non-fiction books. From this we will learn about our new school, our bodies, our senses and what makes us unique. We will be discussing our families and our likes and dislikes. We will be doing activities such as making class books, experiments using our senses and making skeleton pictures.

Literacy:

This term we will be learning our individual letter sounds and listening to the initial sounds at the beginning of words. We will begin to segment and blend individual sounds in words to prepare us for reading and writing and will begin to look at correct letter formations. We will also look at rhyming words and practice writing our names.

Maths:

This term we will be exploring 1:1 counting and linking this to numbers. We will be practicing putting our numbers in the correct order and matching to quantities. We will be singing number rhymes to help children to understand the concept of a number, counting forwards and backwards.

This term PE will be on a Friday afternoon

Upcoming Events

Thursday 1st October Black History Day

Week beginning Monday 5th October Harvest food collection

Monday 5th October PTA penny run

Friday 9th October Harvest celebrations in classrooms

Thursday 22nd October End of half term

Friday 23rd October Inset day

Activities to do at home:

- Encourage children to talk positively about school. Discuss what they did today, who they played with etc
- Help children to recognise numbers. For example, number their toy cars and ask them what number they are playing with today.
- Have a number of the week and help your child to recognise it, write it, count out correct number of objects.
- Help children to write their names using correct letter formations. (Capital letter at the beginning only)

PLEASE NO NUTS IN LUNCH BOXES

