

Year 1/2 Nightingale, Seacole and Anning Classes Newsletter: 2nd November 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back after the half-term. We hope that you had a fun and safe half-term.

ALIVE!

This half term our topic is 'Alive'. We are going to broaden our scientific knowledge and our Art skills. The children will get to build on their knowledge of animals and their off-spring, the human body and will be learning about the artist Andy Warhol. During this topic we have lots of fun, practical lessons planned!

Our webpage

Don't forget to look at the webpage for updates on what we are learning about in Year 1/2. Here you will find examples of our incredible work, pictures of what your children have been up too and links to helpful websites which will support your child's education.

In the circumstance that you and your family need to self-isolate, you will be able to find a pack with work for your child to complete.

Homework

Homework will continue to be set weekly and will consist of:

- 5 words to learn how to spell (and write!) The children will be tested on these every week.
- Times tables or a writing activity to do at home.
- Child reads to an adult for a minimum of 5 minutes every day.
- Adult reads to the child for a minimum of 5 minutes every day.

Nightingale and Seacole -

We will be sending home a "homework menu" of exciting topic projects for your child to choose from. These need to be completed and returned by December 14th, when the children will have the chance to share and discuss their work with their class. If you require any support with this, please speak to your class teacher.

Reminders

Please ensure that your child comes to school in the correct, clearly labelled uniform. Children need to bring their reading diaries and books to school every day. The weather is getting colder so please make sure children come to school in a warm coat, we spend lots of time outside! To help us get the most out of our P.E. lessons, please continue to support your children with learning how to dress themselves.

Special thanks

We would like to thank all of the parents for the fantastic support you give your children. We have been so impressed with the amount of children scoring 5/5 on their weekly spelling test. It is also great to see so many children reading regularly at home and returning homework each week. These children are making fantastic progress – keep up the super work!

We are excited for another super half-term with your lovely children! Miss Byrne, Mrs Moore and Mr Gritt.

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