

Hintlesham & Chattisham C of E Primary School



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Emerald Autumn 1 2022 class newsletter

Important information:

P.E will take place on a Tuesday for both year groups and Friday afternoon for year 2. Children need to wear the correct P.E uniform to school on these days which is outlined below.

- Black or navy shorts
- Red T-shirt
- Trainers and plimsolls
- At certain times of the year, other items will be required, e.g. Plain, dark coloured jogging/tracksuit bottoms and jumper.
- Children are not allowed to wear jewellery for P.E. and long hair must be tied back.

Year 1 children will attend Wild Woods with Ruby class on a Friday afternoon so will need to bring long sleeve tops and trousers and have wellies stored in school.

Children should read at home everyday and this should be recorded in their reading diaries. The diaries will be checked regularly by school staff to ensure children get new books frequently. Therefore, the diaries and books need to be in school everyday. The phonics books will link to the books the children are reading in school. They will have these for three days (occasionally, this may extend to four depending on how far the phonics group has got in school). The children should read these books three times to develop speed and comprehension. Please could these reads also be recorded in the diaries. In addition, the children will have a book to share which can be read with or by an adult and a library book for enjoyment. These will be changed on a Thursday.

There will be a weekly spelling test on a Monday and the children will be given their new spellings the same day.

Curriculum:

English:

Emerald class will be looking at the story 'How to catch a star' and writing stories and instructions. They will also look at silly poems.

Maths:

Both year groups will have a strong focus on place value this term and then move onto addition.

Science:

In science, the children will be learning about animals and humans. They will learn basic parts of the body, senses, animal groups and diets.



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RE:

In R.E, the children will be looking at why Jewish families talk about repentance at new year.

Humanities:

The children will be completing a hot and cold planet unit. They will compare and contrast a different country with England, learn about where certain animals come from and begin to learn how to read and create maps.

PE:

All children will take part in a ball skills unit. Year 2 will look at team games and year 1 will take part in Wild Woods.

Computing:

The children will be doing a unit called 'My online life'. It will explore what being online means and how to stay safe.

PSHE:

In PSHE, the children will explore looking after each other and the world. They will think about what kindness is and how to show respect to one another. They will think about what responsibilities they have and also how they can look after the world that we live in.

DT:

For DT, the children will be completing a unit about salads. They will explore where some food comes from and learn some basic skills to create their own dish.

