



Wow, what a busy term the Robins and Wrens have had!



They have all settled in their nests comfortably and we are so proud of the progress they have made.



This term we have enjoyed learning about and celebrating Remembrance Day, Anti-Bullying Week, Children In Need, Diwali, Bonfire Night and preparing for Christmas!



We hope you enjoyed watching our Christmas Video on the schools Facebook page! We wanted to wish all parents and carers a Merry Christmas and the children worked really hard to learn the songs and actions!

In January our topic will be 'Traditional Tales'. Some of the stories we will be focusing on will be: The Gingerbread Man, Little Red Riding Hood, The Little Red Hen and Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

Please try and read some of these stories with your child over the Christmas Holidays. If you do not have the books then they can all be found on YouTube.

PE and Forest School

In January we will be starting PE for Wrens (Reception) and Forest School for Wrens and Robins.

Both of these will run on a Wednesday. Therefore, Wrens will need to come to school in their PE kit (weather appropriate). Robins who are doing Forest School will also need to be dressed appropriately for the weather!

More details will be sent out in the new term, regarding Forest School as this will be run in small groups throughout the year.

Key Information

Labelling:

Children will need to bring in a labelled coat and wellies. Reception age children will also be given a water bottle and book bag and Nursery age children can provide a water bottle for school.

All personal belongings must be labelled otherwise it is very difficult to return items to the correct child.

Tapestry:

We will continue using Tapestry to upload photos/ videos of your child's wow moments in their learning. Please ensure you check this regularly and speak to your child's class teacher if you have any issues logging in.

Reading Books:

Wrens (Reception) have begun bringing reading books home. These will be given out on a Monday and must be returned by a Friday for a new one to be given the following Monday. Please try to listen to your child read 3 times a week and write a comment in their reading record.

School Dinners – your child's school dinner needs to be pre-ordered through the School Money app. You should have received a text with your log-in details for this. When ordering, you need to go to the check-out on the app for it to be confirmed. Wrens (Reception) will receive free school dinners, Nursery (Robins) will be directed to pay. Please ensure you order a dinner for your child so they are given the meal of their choice. Please phone the school office if you have any problems with this.

May we take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! We look forward to seeing you all in 2021!

