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Dear Parents/Carers;

Learning in Bumble Bees next week!



It's been another lovely week in Bumble Bees. Here's what's coming up next week 😊

Reception and Year 1 children.

Topic Teach – children will continue to look at different buildings. This week we will also learn about the Chinese New Year.

Letter and sounds - The sounds we are learning this week are; **i, v, w, and x.**

Guided write – This week children will look at the story of The Three Little Pigs.

Maths – Children will learn about prepositions.

Fine Motor – Children will explore in various activities at the workstation to help develop their fine motor skills



Year 2 children.

Writing – Children will decide what gifts the Giant needs.

RSWS – We will be recapping 'blends' and suffixes.

Maths – We will look at measuring this week.

Science – We will be learning about how to keep healthy and clean.

History – We will continue to learn about The Great Fire of London.

Geography - We will continue to learn about an Island home.



We're a PAPERLESS School – so you must download & register your ParentMail App to receive e-newsletters, to book after-school clubs & Parents' meetings or to confirm consent for educational visits.

Please have a little look at the **blue box** below. I will be putting something new in it each week for you to do. Sometimes it will be about what parents can do, other times it will be for children to make something with you. Please read and enjoy the different activities and let me know how it goes. Remember to tweet pictures too!



Family Learning together

Reception and Year 1 – We have been playing lots of rhyming games, can you make some rhyming games at home – cat/hat

Year 2 – Can you make a poster on how to keep your teeth clean?

Coming up soon:

- Parent teacher meetings will take place the second week in February. Please check Parent mail to book your appointment.
Thursday 10th February – evening appointments.
Friday 11th February – all day appointments.



Yellow Books, Homework & Reading

Year 1 and 2 - Don't forget about the Yellow books in your child's book bag. Practise reading the tricky and high frequency words at the back.

Please try to read with your child every night.

Reception – Children are now taking home homework. Please sit with your child to complete the sheet and return every Friday.

I hope you find this information useful, and we are all looking forward to seeing what you have done when you return to school.

Yours sincerely,

Lauren Skeels

Bumble Bees Teacher



Bumble Bees Timetable WB: 31st January	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
08:55	Welcome and settling period. Children find their photo to complete their self registration, then check their schedule.				
09:15	Good morning song and Topic teach				
Topic Teach	<i>I am learning all about Homes and Buildings.</i>				
All day inside	Workstation				
	I can complete my activities at the workstation	I can complete my activities at the workstation	I can complete my activities at the workstation	I can complete my activities at the workstation	I can complete my activities at the workstation
	Writing, Maths and Creative table.				
	I can explore mark making/writing the sounds I know. I can match the bears to the numbers, I can order numbers. I can use scissors and glue to make a picture.				
	UW & Messy Play - I can build a town using bricks and blocks.				
	I can explore with flour and tools.	I can explore shredded paper.	I can explore with shaving foam and glitter.	I can explore with feathers and pom-poms.	I can explore with shredded paper.
	Story related activities				
	This week children will listen to stories with the adult				
	We will be modelling language from the story and exploring some of the food from the story to provide the children with real life experiences.				
	Free Flow Activities				
Outdoor freeflow 9:45 - 11:25	We will be doing the following activities outside in the playground. These support gross-motor development, as well as teaching children listening skills, sharing, turn-taking, and social skills:				
	Mud kitchen, sand in the builders tray, bikes, climbing frame, grass area for running, balls for throwing catching and kicking				
11:45-1:00	Lunch time:				
	Children are encouraged to try new foods. Afterwards children join their bubble for playtime where they have opportunities to learn new social skills with a wider range of children.				
1:00-14:55	Afternoon				
	We repeat the activities for the morning to extend the learning opportunities				
Home time	Don't forget we are happy to speak to you about your child's day. At home read stories with your children and encourage them to talk about what they can see in the pictures using appropriate language.				