



Foundation 2 Newsletter — Spring 2018



FOUNDATION 2 INFORMATION

Fireflies – Miss Greaves will be supported by Miss Leivers Monday-Wednesday & Miss Cooper on Thursday & Friday. Mrs Carr will be teaching the class on Wednesday afternoons.

Dragonflies – Miss Hartley will be supported by Mrs Cresswell & Miss Tilly. Miss Stevenson will be teaching the class on Wednesday afternoons. Mrs Moreton will also be supporting both classes.



Spring
Term



Learning Labs

This year our projects are linked to a book. This term our themed book is 'Rosie's Walk'. We will carry out some exciting activities linked to the early years curriculum. These activities will include making characters from the story using clay, going on our own 'Rosie's Walk' around the playground practising positional language and design. We will create our own obstacle course for our friends to try, learn exciting facts about farm animals and farm life, and many more exciting activities! The children will explore these activities through their learning labs.

PE

Our PE lessons will still be on a Wednesday morning. Please ensure your child has a P.E bag with labelled shorts and t-shirt as we are now practising getting changed independently. Children are not allowed to wear earrings.

EXCITING NEWS!

We have some exciting news... Miss Greaves is expecting a baby! It is due in the summer term!! Also school dinners have been a great success, the children have loved having their dinner with their friends and teachers!

LOST PROPERTY

We do encourage the children to look after their things and put them in the correct place, but things do get lost! Could you please ensure names are on their items as this really helps!!

ENGLISH

We will be learning to retell the story of 'Rosie's Walk' adding actions, creating a story map, writing captions and short sentences applying our phonic knowledge and collectively writing an alternative journey for Rosie!

Please read with your child as much as possible - it will make a difference to your child's reading progress. We do ask that you read the same book at least 3 times with your child, to build fluency.

DIARY

Last reading Count– 9th February
Reading Reward Party will be in the afternoon during school time on 15th February
Pancake Day– 13th February
Valentines day—wear something red & please bring a contribution for British Heart Foundation
Break up for Half term– Friday 16th February
INSET Day– Monday 26th February
Parent's Evening—5th & 7th March
Break up for Easter– Thursday 29th March



MATHS

In Maths we will be continuing to work on recognising numbers to 20. We will be solving simple addition problems using objects and number lines to help us! We will be using positional language; over, under, next to, behind, on top, between and through.