



Netherfield Primary School Foundation 2



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.



Learning Labs

This year our projects are linked to a book. This term our themed book is “Owl Babies”. We will carry out some exciting activities linked to the early years curriculum. These activities will include painting owls, making an owl habitat, leaf printing, clay owls, discussion around nocturnal animals, thoughts and feelings about when we are scared (linked to the characters) and many more exciting activities!! The children will explore these activities through their learning labs.

PE

Our PE lessons will be on a Wednesday morning. At the beginning of the term the children will be removing their shoes, socks and jumpers and we will then move onto getting changed into their PE kits. Children are not allowed to wear earrings.

SCHOOL DINNERS (Milk, snacks etc.)

Children will be having a school dinner with their friends and their teachers. This promotes healthy eating as well as developing table manners, social skills and trying new foods! We will have our milk & fruit in the afternoon. Children are encouraged to drink water throughout the day too.

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

Our writing will be linked to phonics and the story of ‘Owl Babies’. Children will also be practising to write their first name and even challenged to try their surname! Please read with your child as much as possible: it will make a difference to your child’s reading progress. We ask that you read the same book at least 3 times with your child, to build fluency.

DIARY



Foundation 2 Reading Meeting for families — 5th October
Foundation 2 Reading party for children who reach their Gold Award — 18th October
Half Term—w/b 23 October
Parents’ Evenings —13 and 15 November 2017
Christmas Market—Friday 8th December
Christmas Performances—Wednesday 13th Dec at 2pm and Thursday 14th December at 9:30am

MATHS

In Maths we will be concentrating on numbers up to 20 and this will be taught by ‘Number of the Week’. Children will need to be able to count to 20, order the numbers correctly, count the correct amount with objects and write these numbers accurately. Children will also identify simple 2D shapes & create patterns.