



Welcome back to school!

Autumn 2, 2024

This half term, we will be learning why some parts of earth are cold and some are hot. We will learn about the southern and northern hemispheres and revisit our learning about the 7 different continents.

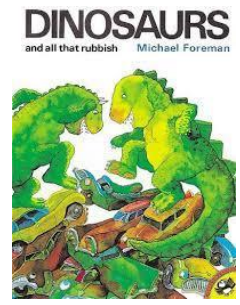
Reminders...
Please remember to send your child's reading book back by Thursday so that they can bring a new one home on Friday.
Your child's PE day may have changed. Please check ClassDojo for updates.
If your contact details change, please remember to let the

In Science, we will be learning the importance of protecting our environment and how re-using and recycling materials play a big part in looking after our planet.

Christmas and other events!
Please keep your eye on ClassDojo for the latest news on important dates, this half term!

Helping your child with their learning
Learning to read is one of the most important life skills a child can have. Research has shown that children who enjoy reading at a young age, go on to do better in their GCSEs as well as their mental health being improved. You can support this by sharing your child's reading book with them for a few minutes every day AND by reading stories to them, such as the picture books that they bring home, or the books they have at home. Our children have told us that they LOVE having stories read to them at school and at home!

Here are some beautiful picture books that we will be reading in school. You might like to share them at home too!



Home Learning

We try to give a menu of activities that you and your child might enjoy doing together and that are easy to do at home. Every time your child completes an activity and brings it to school, or sends photos on ClassDojo, they can earn themselves Dojo points!

Design your own recycling logo.

Make a rocket from a recycled plastic bottle.

Would your dream holiday be in a hot or cold place? Draw a picture to persuade someone to go with you!

Write instructions for making a junk box model.

Invent a recycling Superhero!

Design a Christmas card that uses a slider or lever.

Recommend a favourite book to your friend.

Sort your recycling into 3d shapes –how many cylinders, cubes and cuboids are there?

There are 5 Dojo points available for every piece of home-learning you do! Who will be Dojo Champion?!