

#### Literacy

Our Literacy work this half term will focus first on the story the Supertato, Jack and the Beanstalk and Little Home Bird. We will be predicting an ending for Supertato and writing speech bubbles for the different characters. We will write our own version of the story Jack and the Beanstalk, writing in sentences using fingers spaces and full stops.

### **Phonics**

During Read Write Inc phonics we will continue to consolidate set 2 sounds and will be focusing on reading and writing words containing these sounds. For child to be on track in reading and writing by the end of the school year they need to be able recognise at least 10 special friend sounds and write a simple sentence independently that can be read by an adult.

## Reading

The children will continue to bring a reading book home each week until the last week of the term. Please can all reading books and reading records be kept in book bags every day. Please can any books at home be returned to school to ensure we have enough books to give out each week in school. We will be focusing on recognising the red and green words by sight which are available on Seesaw for you to also practise at home.

#### Numeracy

The children have maths home learning on Seesaw every two weeks. The home learning will be linked to what we have been learning in class so children should be starting to apply their skills independently. Our work in numeracy this half term will include looking at:

- Taking away
- Doubling
- Sharing and grouping
- Even and odd numbers
- Spatial reasoning
- Consolidation of all knowledge and skills taught this year

### Learning Challenge

This half term we will be continuing to learn about minibeasts. We will also be focusing on transition to Year 1. Finding out what Year 1 looks like, meeting the staff and having some visits to our new classroom. We will be having lots of circle times to talk about our feelings and how change can make us feel. In science we are going to be learning about plants and how they grow. We will be doing some planting of our own and learning about how to look after different plants. In PE we will be busy practising the skills we need to complete our races in preparation for sports day Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July 1:15-3:15pm (more details to follow).

# Home learning

Please check Seesaw regularly to keep up to date with home learning. If you need a new code to logon, please ask your child's class teacher. If you would prefer a paper copy of the home learning, please ask.

# EYFS Summer term



We wanted to share with you some of the things we are getting up to this half term.

#### General

We will be busy preparing for our graduation celebration Wednesday  $20^{\text{th}}$  July.

Junk modelling - please could you continue to collect and send into school any cardboard or plastic pots, lids, containers etc (cleaned out) for the children to use in our craft areas.

As the weather is getting warm children may want to bring sun hats and sunglasses into school. Ion hot sunny days the children may need to wear sun cream. Where possible could you please apply sun cream before school. If children need to reapply during the day, they must have their own sun cream (clearly labelled with name) and must be able to apply it independently.

We kindly ask that water bottles do not go into book bags as these can leak and cause damage to reading books and letters. This will help to protect our new reading books and ensure that the children always have a suitable book to read each week at home.

If you have any concerns, questions or queries please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support, EYFS Team.