Seven Stars Primary School

Moons Curriculum Newsletter

Autumn Term 2022

Welcome to all of our new children and families who have joined us this year. Welcome back all of the children and families who joined us last year. It lovely to see you all and we hope you are all excited and ready for an amazing year ahead. Superstars Early Years Unit is a wonderful place to be and Moon class are clearly enjoying exploring all of the areas and learning our routines. The children are enjoying coming through the big blue gates with the Rocket children and starting the day together with toast. Please come and talk to us if you have anything you want to share eg. exciting news, achievements, concerns, questions or just to say Hello.

Mrs Hollinghurst and The Early Years Team

Yoga and PE

We take part in yoga and relaxation and breathing activities in class. We do PE in the Hall. We <u>do not</u> require PE kits. However, please encourage your child to practise taking off and putting on shoes and socks.

COMMUNICATION, LANGUAGE & LITERACY

We will be developing a love of books this term. Talking about stories we like to read at home and enjoying new stories. We will be listening to stories as a whole class and also selecting and sharing a book with an adult in the reading area. We will be talking about pictures and using them to help us tell a story.

HELPING AT HOME

In the Moon class, we are encouraging the children to be more independent. Please continue to help your children with these skills:

- 1. Managing clothing putting on and taking off coats, jumpers, socks, shoes.
- 2. Singing counting rhymes and songs.
- 3. Taking turns and being able to wait for a go.
- 4. Trying to manage their toileting needs, asking for help when they need it and washing their hands.

<u>Class Dojo</u>

You should now be able to access Class Dojo. We will be showing the children how it works and they will soon be receiving Dojo points.



MATHEMATICS

We will be singing lots of number rhymes and songs and using our number knowledge to find out how many things we have, how many are left, and understanding the terms *altogether* and *zero*. We will be using our fingers to show how many we have and understanding what happens to a group when things are taken away. We are also developing our size vocabulary and linking this to our story telling.

TOPIC

Our topic is "Marvellous Me". We will be celebrating how awesome we all are and developing our understanding that we are all unique and special. We will be looking at our facial features, trying to describe what we look like, and painting portraits. We will be talking about our families, who is in our own family and recognizing that all families are different. We will also be finding out more about our likes and dislikes.