



Y1/2 Autumn Routines



Communication

All letters will be sent through MCaS. Please ring or call into the school office to let them know about absence, appointments, changes to school pick up or any other information we need to know. For your child's safety, please can you make sure that you inform the class teacher (at the door in the morning) or contact the school office if your child is being collected by someone other than yourselves.

Look out for regular updates of the children's learning through Instagram (@springfieldprimarygrimsby) and MCaS.

Learning this Term

In Autumn 1, we will learn about materials in Science, explore different joining techniques to create a finger puppet in D.T and learn the countries of the United Kingdom and begin to look at the Continents of the world in Geography. In Autumn 2, the topic will predominantly be History based, focusing on the History of toys. In Art, we will be looking at the element of collage, focusing on colour, pattern and texture. We will be sending fortnightly updates via MCaS to give you an insight to what the children have been learning.

Home Learning

Spellings

The children will be set spellings on a Friday to learn at home. These spellings will be based on the phonic phase that your child is working on. Children will be able to log into EdShed.com to access their spelling words for that week and engage in spelling games and activities to aid them. Your support in helping your child to practise their spellings will be greatly appreciated. Spellings will be tested the following Friday. For Year 1, a login will be stuck inside the front cover of your child's reading record. Year 2's login will remain the same.

Maths

To support your child's learning of maths, it would be greatly appreciated if you downloaded the '1-minute maths' app.

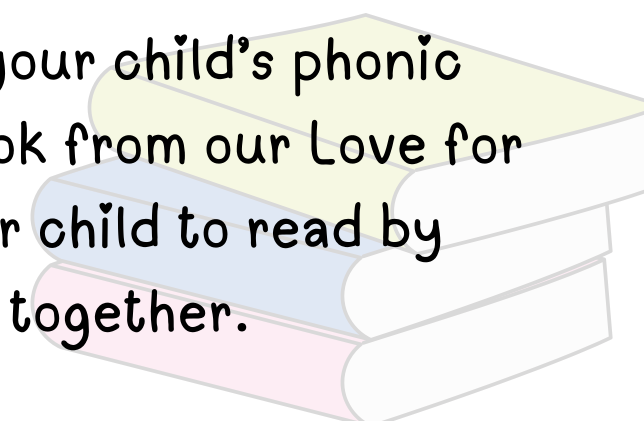
Year 1- focus on the 'subitising' section.

Year 2- focus on the subitising, addition or subtraction sections.

Year 2's will receive logins for TTRockstars closer to half term, to practise their times tables.

Reading at Home

Reading books will be sent home on a Friday. We ask that you bring your child's book bag to school on a Wednesday. If they do not come in by Wednesday, we cannot guarantee your child's book will be changed that week. Please try to read your child's reading book with them at least 3 times weekly and more if possible! Practise makes perfect! Reading books are matched to your child's phonic knowledge. Your child will also choose a book from our Love for reading library. This book is not for your child to read by themselves, but for you to share together.



Before and After School

The gates will be open from 08:55. Any children who ride to school on a bike or scooter must dismount on entering the gates and walk them down the path to the bike shed. No bikes or scooters should be ridden within the school grounds. For health and safety reasons, the field, trim trail and tyres are out of bounds before and after school and ball games are not allowed at this time.

PE

Our P.E days are; Miss Scott's class Tuesday and Thursday, Miss Bunn's class Wednesday and Thursday and Mrs White's class Wednesday and Thursday. Please arrive in PE kit.