



Oulton C.E. First School

Hand in hand learning together because every child matters to us

## Class 2 Weekly Newsletter

Autumn 1 :Week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> September 2017 (Week 4)

- Please remember the children will receive a spelling test every Monday and spelling folders should be returned to school every Monday.
- The children have done a super job learning the Harvest poem. We hope you are able to join us in Church this Friday (2pm) to celebrate Harvest. We are supporting Stone Food Bank again this year and all non-perishable donations should be taken to the school office from 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> September - thank you.
- Please note the new date for the phonics information session is Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October, 6-7pm. (Letters will follow.)
- The children had a fantastic time at the Sports for School event with the Olympic athlete Kelvin Batey who was very complimentary about their behaviour and engagement. Please ensure sponsor forms are returned by Friday - thank you.
- Please ensure PE kits are returned to school ready for PE on Tuesday.
- Exciting news: we have booked a class trip to Aston Hall in Birmingham on 29<sup>th</sup> November. The children will have the opportunity to explore the story of the Great Fire of London in a historic setting. The trip will cost £11 per pupil - letters will follow with more information.

### Diary Dates

26.09.17	European Day of Languages
29.09.17	Harvest Service at St. John's Church (2pm)
11.10.17	Family Worship (2.30pm)/ Phonics Information Session for Parents (6-7pm)
16.10.17	Parents Evening (4-6pm)
17.10.17	Last Football Club
18.10.17	Parents Evening (4-6pm)
19.10.17	Dance Club & Performance/End of Half Term PTFA School Disco (6-7.30pm)

**Please see reverse of the newsletter for an overview of our week...**

Thank you for your support - Mrs Melling, Mrs Grey & Mrs Bradbury



### Curriculum over view:

<b>English</b>	We will focus on a poetry unit based on the senses this week and linked to our <i>Great Fire of London</i> topic.
<b>Maths</b>	Y1 will continue to focus on numbers to 10 and Y2 on numbers to 100.
<b>Science</b>	This half term we will focus on the theme <i>Animals including Humans</i> . This week we will look at the senses and explore what makes a difference to how well we hear.
<b>Topic</b>	This term our topic is <i>The Great Fire of London</i> and this week we will learn about the chronology of the monarchy during the 17th Century and the differences and similarities between modern buildings and those in 1666.
<b>Music</b>	The children will experiment with pitch using un-tuned instruments.
<b>RE</b>	Our theme this half term is <i>Creation</i> and we will explore the question - who created the world?
<b>PSHE</b>	Our theme this half term is <i>Me and My School</i> . This week we will learn about how a school council meeting works.
<b>Computing</b>	The children will use technology purposefully to create and organise digital content.
<b>PE</b>	During the autumn term the children will be doing multi-skills on a Tuesday and dance on a Thursday with our sports coaches.

### Resources children need to remember to bring from home

Monday	Spelling folder
Tuesday/Thursday	PE kit - no jewellery
Daily	Reading book/diary -Waterproof coat