



A Weekly Overview

What are we doing in Class One this week?

- Thank you to those parents who have returned their child's nature hunt pictures and very kindly handed in their donations for our garden area. We have only had a few children's work and we would love to see some more. Please can they be handed in as soon as possible so that we can judge who the winner is.
- This week is Anti-Bullying week. On Tuesday we will be having a whole school worship where we will be talking about Anti-Bullying week and how we are all unique. To celebrate our uniqueness we are asking children to come to school on Tuesday wearing 'odd socks' to celebrate what makes us all unique.
- On Friday it is children in needs day. We would like children to come to school wearing something spotty and to bring £1 which will be donated to the children in need charity.
- On Friday children will be coming home with some simple spellings. They will be a mixture of tricky words and words linked to the phonics that they have learnt this week. Children will have a little spelling text the following Friday. Children are to try to learn these spellings at home and you can be as creative as you like by making a game, writing them with sticks in the mud. Our class motto is 'try your best'. If your child doesn't get them all right then please congratulate them for trying their best. They will pick them up eventually.
- Mrs Hitchin will be popping in next Tuesday 20th November to get to know the children and for them to get to know her. We are looking forward to having her back.
- If you have any old children's magazines then we would love to have them in our reading area as this provides different genres for the children to read.
- Below are some notifications -
 - If your child wears earrings then they need to be removed for our PE session on Wednesdays. Unfortunately adults in school cannot do this so this needs to be done prior to coming to school or breakfast club.
 - If your child has sickness or Diarrhoea then they are required to be off school for 48 hours after the last motion.
 - We are a no mobile site, so we can ask parents not to use their mobile phones on the school grounds. That includes the paths outside the classrooms and the drive.
 - **Autumn 2, Week 2 - Week Beginning: 12/11/18**

Personal, Social & Emotional Development	As it is Anti-Bullying week this week we will be talking to the children about what bullying is and how we have to respect everyone's uniqueness.
*Communication & Language *Literacy	This week we will be focusing on Diwali and the story of Rama and Sita. We will be sequencing the story and writing speech bubbles for what the characters might be saying.



Oulton C.E. First School

Hand in hand learning together because every child matters to us

*Maths	This week Reception and Ladybirds will be learning about Sir Seven (7) we will be looking at how to write it, how to count it, what it looks like on a tens frame, how to make 7 in different ways using our part whole model.
* Understanding the World	Our topic this term is light and dark. This week we will be learning about what gives us light and what reflects light.
*Physical Development	This half term Reception and Nursery will be learning dance in their PE sessions with Miss Amy. Ladybirds will also be learning their dance routine for our Nativity performance.
*Expressive Arts & Design	This week the children will be creating Diwali lamps out of salt dough and then decorating them.
*Religious Education	This week in RE the children will be learning about the important people in the nativity story and making some puppets.

Important Dates:

- 12.11.18 - Anti Bullying Week
- 13.11.18 - Wear odd spots for Anti-Bullying week worship
- 16.11.18 - Wear something spotty for children in need and bring £1
- 20.11.18 - Non uniform day- chocolate donations
- 27.11.18 - Non uniform day bring a bottle
- 30.11.18 - Christmas Fayre 6-8pm Oulton Village Hall
- 30.11.18 - Class 1 Play and Stay Phonic focus
- 03.12.18 = Transition morning for new Ladybirds 10-11
- 04.12.18 - Transition morning for new ladybirds 10-12.15 with lunch
- 07.12.18 - Christmas Jumper Day
- 11.12.18 - Reception and Ladybirds (Class 1) Nativity performance 9.30 - 10.30
- 12.12.18 - Class 2 Christmas performance
- 13.12.18 - Class 3 Christmas performance
- 14.12.18 - Family Worship 2.30pm
- 18.12.18 - Class 1 Christmas crafts 9-10am
- 18.12.18 - PTFA Disco 6.30 - 8pm Change of date
- 19.12.18 - Reception - Year 4 Panto at Stafford Gatehouse
- 20.12.18 - Christmas dinner
- 21.12.18 - Christmas service at Church 2pm
- 21.12.18 - Finish school for Christmas holidays.
- 07.01.19 - Inset day
- 08.01.19 - Back to school for children

Thank you in advance for your support and co-operation.

Mrs Mannering and Mrs Hooley