

Upper Key Stage 2 News



Friday 18th September

This week's learning

This week we started reading Cosmic by Frank Cottrell-Boyce. The story focuses on a 12 year old boy called Liam Digby. Liam is very tall for his age. As a result he is often mistaken for an adult. So far, his has told us about how he was left behind on a school trip at a fair and got to ride on a

sling shot ride called Cosmic, and how he was introduced at his secondary school as a teacher and now somehow he is in outer space on a rocket called the Infinite Possibility!

In Maths we have been focusing on Place value, number, ordering and rounding skills.

Each class has been tackling cooperation and team building skills in a variety of challenges and

tasks that have included building bridges and building towers. We have also started our community project by visiting the school allotment and helping to prepare the paths and beds for the new growing season.

ABC Attendance Race

This week we have launched our attendance race. Which Class in each hub will have the best attendance? You've got to be in school to win it! Watch this space...

Uniform expectations

We are proud of our school and want the pupils to be too! Please ensure your child attends in the correct school uniform each day. Please can long hair be tied back. Earrings should be small plain studs only. Shoes must be worn not trainers. Hair accessories should be small and in school colours. Please speak with us if you need help with uniform.

Next week's learning

We will continue with Cosmic and writing activities based on the book. We will be continuing with our number and place value skills in maths. We will begin our science topic on space and start looking at the ancient Greeks and the Olympics as part of our wider curriculum and Sports

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This week we have been exploring the school values and the mission statement. We have been sharing our views and opinions so that we can help move the school forward in this very exciting new chapter in our schools history.

Harvest Is set for FRIDAY 1st OCTOBER 2020. Please can we have a donation of a tin/packet per child, to help those in need within our community. Thank you.

Dates for the Diary & Reminders

8.30am arrive at school 3.05pm finish school

Please bring a named WATER bottle to school every day

A letter has been sent home with advice on booking a seasonal flu immunisation. Please follow the instructions on this letter to book online if you want your child to have a nasal flu immunisation this year.

Year 6 ONLY: Please can we have a NEW letter if you wish your son/daughter to walk home.

Secondary School Open Days

Local secondary schools are beginning to make special arrangements this year in the light of COVIDfor prospective pupil visits to their sites. A separate letter will come out shortly with further details on how to arrange tours and

