



Independence

Please teach your child to take off their cardigan or jumper keeping the sleeves the right way.

Teach your child to notice when their nose needs wiping and to wipe their own nose using a tissue (we always have tissues available in school). They should then put the tissue in the bin or flush it down the toilet. Finally they should

Seesaw

Please ensure that you check seesaw at least once per week and show the photos and videos to your child.

Each week there will be a simple homework activity for you to complete with your child at home so don't forget to check 'activities'

There will be a meeting at 2.30pm on Friday 20th January to help you with these activities so please do your best to attend.

Stay and Play

Stay and play will take place each Friday from 9.00-9.45. There will be a different theme each week. Please do your best to attend as many as can. Grandmas, grandads and friends can represent you if you can't make it

Spring 1



How you can help at home

Maths

- Practise counting with your child 1- 10 first, then 1-20, then back from 10 and back from 20. They need to be able to do this without any prompting from you and without missing any numbers out.
- Look for shapes in your house and when you're out and about – circle, triangle, oblong, square, diamond, semi circle, hexagon, oval.
- Use words such as side, angles, curved, straight

Talking

Please watch a short TV programme with your child. Watch it through once and ask your child to tell you what they have seen and heard. Help them to speak in full sentences making sure they use the little words like 'on', 'in' 'to' etc.

Cbeebies is brilliant to help extend knowledge and vocabulary. Just google cbeebies I player. My World Kitchen, Andy's adventures, Go Jetters, Jojo and Gran are just a few of the programs that you can watch.

Reading and Writing

- Read your child's library book to them at least 3 times during the week and ask them to retell parts of the story to you
- Practise the words that I send home until your child knows them off by heart.
- Practise writing the words until your child can write them without copying.
- When your child starts to bring home a reading book, I will invite you to a short meeting please do your best to attend.
- Check your child's reading folder every day and take out any letters, pictures etc.

You will also be invited to a focus child meeting each term, when you will be able to discuss your child's progress with Mrs Turner