

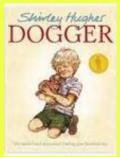
KS1 Newsletter – Spring 2



What am I learning this half term?

In Y1 and 2 this half term we will be looking at a variety of different subjects. In maths, we will be concentrating on the properties of 2D shape and 3D shape. We will also be exploring reflection and fractions of shapes. In English, we will be writing stories focussing on classic picture books. We will be using adjectives, conjunctions and the 4 different sentence types. In DT we will be designing and creating our own salads.







P.E Dates

In P.E this half term, we will be focussing on learning the skills of Danish Long Ball. Please ensure your child comes to school in full P.E kit, which is a plain white t-shirt, plain black tracksuit bottoms or shorts and a jumper/ waterproof coat for colder weather, pumps or trainers. This will take place on the following days.

Year 2- Tuesday (indoor) and Wednesday (outdoor)

Year 1- Tuesday (indoor) and Wednesday (outdoor)





Morning Skills

At Ebor Gardens, we want to make every second of learning time count. From 8:30 we will be practicing our handwriting skills as well as Maths skills. This is aimed at strengthening maths facts through recall games and fun competitions. Children will be given time to access TTRockstars or other learning platforms on a Chromebook.

Homework

Each Friday, Spellings and homework will be set and children will have until the following Friday to complete these tasks. Dojo points will be awarded for completed work. Children will also receive a 'Home Learning Grid' once per half term. The children are encouraged to complete one learning task per week from the grid. Dojo points will also be awarded for

Reading Book

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Your child should bring home a banded book from our collection will be changed weekly. Please listen to your children read at home and initial their reading records daily. Children who show their planners each day will be rewarded with Dojos in school.

Topic

In Y1 and 2 this half term, we will be finishing off our topic Childhood Long Ago. We will finish this off with a lovely trip to Abbey House Museum.

In our Geography Week we will be learning all about 'Our Island Home'. We will compare England to the Island of Hawaii. We will think about the different habitats, climates, clothes and buildings.



