

Newsletter - Peaches East - Spring 2020

Peaches Class have settled well after the Christmas break and have enjoyed sharing their holiday news with everyone. We are looking forward to the New Term - we have many fun and interesting activities planned for the children! Here is some information you should find useful:

PE is on Monday and Thursday mornings - your child will need shorts, a T-shirt and plimsolls; named. Amy our sports coach will lead this on a Monday and the class teacher on a Thursday.

Your child will read at school and will continue to bring home a reading book and a reading record. When the children bring their books home please share their book daily and record in the reading record so we know how they are getting on at home with you too!

Homework will come home in a wallet on a Friday and should be returned by the following Thursday - your child should be able to complete this independently. Home work usually follows the week's theme in either English or Maths and is linked to the Lower Key Stage 2 Semi-formal curriculum.

Your child will have a home-school book for us to share information - please check it each evening just in case there are letters or information for your attention. Feel free to pop anything in there that you think we need to know; we check them each morning at school.

This term your child will also have a weekend news folder; this will come home on a Friday and should be returned on the following Monday. This helps to support your child's communication when sharing their weekend news in class. It would be helpful if in addition to sharing the communication symbols with your child, you could record their news on the sheet provided inside the folder.

Please send in spare clothing if you feel your child may need this; we will keep it safely at school and inform you of any accidents.

Snack time is an important part of our day; we provide a varied and healthy range of snacks including: yoghurt, cereal, toast, cheese spread, marmite; milk or water are offered as drinks and fruit is provided daily. The children are encouraged to develop their table manners, independence and sharing skills. Your weekly £2 contribution towards snack is very important to us. Please let us know of any dietary restrictions. You can always contact us by phone - The office staff will either take a message or put you through to us!!

Peaches staff: Joy Davies - Class Teacher; Support Staff - Olga Smith, Michele DeBroize-Branston, Cara Langley, plus an additional TA (TBC)

Topics for Spring 2020

Music / DT / Art:

Music and Art around the World

PSHE:

Rules

Healthy Exercise

Computing:

Data

Communication and
Collaboration and e-safety

RE:

Why is Muhammad important
to Muslims?

'What festivals do we
celebrate at Spring?'

Science:

Electricity

Forces and Magnets

PE:

Dance

Striking & Fielding Games

Geography:

Continents & Oceans

Maths:

Number and Place Value

Addition and Subtraction

Geometry - Properties of Shape

Measure - Length, Mass and
Capacity

English:

Dialogue and Plays

Stories with familiar settings

Reports

Instructions

Drama

History:

Historical Superheroes