

EYFS Autumn 2 Newsletter

Welcome back to EYFS

We hope you had a great half term, we are so excited to welcome you all back to our classrooms. This term we have so much to look forward to, especially on the run up to Christmas!

Please remember to share with us on tapestry when your child does some fantastic learning at home! We love to see what you all have been up to. If you are having issues accessing your child's tapestry account, please speak to the class teacher.

Thank you for the reading you're doing with your child. We change books twice a week in EYFS (Tuesday and Thursday) so please remember to send your child with their reading book every day. Please remember that you can always record your child reading and upload it to tapestry.

We are focussing on balancing in PE. We will be using lots of different equipment to balance on. Please remember that PE is on a Monday this term and will be outside, so please make sure your child is dressed in warm PE clothes.

As Coningsby mathematicians we will be exploring the numbers 0 - 5. We will be talking about different number bonds and even start to look at doubles. We will be practising lots of counting skills and having a go at forming the numbers

As Coningsby authors we will be exploring our class texts and how characters feel and can be described. This term we will be starting our English lessons to explore the structure of a story. We will focus on phase two of our phonics journey and learn to write letters and read sounds.

Our topic focus is... habitats



This term we will be exploring lots of different habitats and animals. We will focus on changes to habitats in the winter and explore the animals that you can find in winter habitats. We will be celebrating what makes us all unique, our family traditions and what makes us a class family. We will also explore traditions from around the world, including Inuit traditions.

Our shared texts this term will be:

Elmer

Monkey Puzzle

Rumble in the Jungle

The Polar Bear Son

Olaf's Christmas traditions

As Coningsby believers we will be exploring people who are special to us. We will focus on who Jesus is and why he is special to Christians.

We will also be looking at the nativity story and why Christmas is a special time of the year for Christians.

Our Church school value is:

Perseverance

We will be looking at how we can overcome challenges and developing a growth mindset.