



Welcome to Reception!

RNF Term 2 2020

Term 2 Dates

2.11.20 – First day back – WOW day!

6.11.20 – Poppy making for Remembrance Day

10.11.20 and 11.11.20 – Parents Evening

16.11.20 – Antbullying Week

20.11.20 – Odd Socks Day

11.12.20 – Flu vaccination

17.12.20 – Last day of term

18.12.20 – INSET

We will give more dates nearer the time.

Light and Dark

In Term 2, our topic is Light and Dark. We will be learning about different light sources and how shadows are made. We will learn about the difference between day and night. We will look at forests and the different animals that live there. We will learn the difference between nocturnal and diurnal animals.



Don't forget that our attributes are

- We are positive
- We are engaged
- We are responsible
- We are respectful
- We are resilient
- We rise to challenges

At IKB, we believe that

- Every Child Achieves
- Every Child Belongs
- Every Child Participates in learning, enrichment and the community

Forest School

This term we will start doing Forest School sessions on Fridays. Please make sure that your child has wellies and a waterproof coat.

If you have any worries, queries or questions, please talk to Miss Fahy or Miss Evans.

Maths

In maths this term, we will be learning to count from 0-20 forwards and backwards. We will order numbers and objects by size and capacity. We will find one more and one less than numbers 0-20 and will introduce the language and symbols for addition and subtraction.

Literacy

This term our key texts will be Owl Babies and Stick Man. Both texts link to our topic work on forests and woodland. We will learn both of the stories by role playing the characters and creating story maps. We will continue to work on our understanding of the alphabet. We will use our phonics skills to write labels, captions and begin to write sentences.

Reading

We will be continuing to learn phonics in school to help with reading and writing. We will recap the phase 2 sounds that we learned in term 1 and will also introduce the next sets of sounds. We work on blending those sounds together to read words. Whenever we read stories in school, we check the children's comprehension by asking lots of questions.

Home Learning

Please make sure that you read with your child 5 times a week for 5 minutes. Share stories, talk about the pictures and ask them questions. We will read in school with your child and change their reading books at least once a week. Please regularly practise the key words and tricky words that we send home.