



Noah's Ark



Reception Newsletter: Term 1 - September 2020

Tapestry

We use Tapestry in Reception to share your child's learning and achievements in school with you. Within the next few weeks we will be adding new posts to Tapestry, you will be able to access these posts and also add your own to share your child's learning at home with us. More details will follow soon.

Hello!

A huge welcome to all the wonderful children that have started school this week. You have all have been amazing (including all the grown ups!) at settling into school.

We are super proud of you all!



Mrs Basker will be in class on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Mrs Tory will teach for the remainder of the week.

Mrs Harrison and Miss Andrew are our Teaching Assistants.

Exciting News!



We have our very own Twitter Page! @StNNoahsArk

Follow us on Twitter along with the whole school page @BostonStNic to keep an eye on what we have been doing in school.

<https://www.bostonstnicholas.co.uk>

Our topic this term is:

Do you want to be friends?

During this topic we will be getting to know our friends in class. We will be learning about our families, our school, our bodies, our feelings and our senses.

Fabulous Phonics!

This term we are focusing on developing the children's phonics skills using the Letters and Sounds document.

The children will be learning the corresponding sound to each letter, using the Jolly Phonics actions.

They will then begin to blend these sounds together orally to say a word. Soon your child will be bring home sounds to learn.

Please practise these sounds with your child at home.

Our Class Promise

Noah's Ark class have made a promise to follow our class rules, which are:

We listen carefully.

We have kind hands and feet.

We try our best.

We take care of our toys and classroom.

We always tell the truth.

Marvellous Maths

Our focus this term is:

- **Number:** We will focus on children recognising, ordering and writing numbers and also counting groups of objects carefully.
- **Measure:** We will learn about comparing and ordering objects by size, weight and capacity.
- **Shape:** We will learn about naming and describing 2D shape such as square, triangle, rectangle and circle.

Please support this learning at home too.

PE Days

PE will be on a **Monday** and **Friday**.

Please ensure your child comes to school wearing their full P.E kit - we will be outside so make sure they are dressed to keep warm!

Please ensure earrings are taken out and hair is tied up on these days.

Reading

Children will soon be bringing home a school reading book.

This will contain pictures only to help your child use their imagination and develop their vocabulary.

There is an expectation within school to **read and share a book with your child 5 times a week.**

A bedtime story is a lovely way to end the day and will help your child

Things to Remember...

Your child needs to bring each day:

- ◆ their book bag
- ◆ a waterproof coat

IMPORTANT: Please name **ALL** items: bags, lunchboxes, clothing etc.

A water bottle is provided at

