



Noah's Ark

Reception Newsletter: Term 6 2022



Welcome back!

Welcome back to what I hope will be another amazing term in Noah's Ark Class! This term, our value is 'Wisdom'.

We have some very exciting visitors this term. We have 7 duck eggs which will be hatching in the coming weeks. Make sure you ask your child about the changes and you check the class twitter page for updates @StNNoahsArk

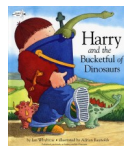
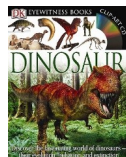


Our topic this term is Dinosaurs



The children will be learning about the past and the present, and will be exploring different dinosaur fiction and non-fiction books. We will be centring our learning around the question:

'What would life be like if the dinosaurs came back?'



Fabulous Phonics

This term, the children will continue learning to read and write through the phonetic programme 'Read, Write, Inc'.

The children are in groups based on their current reading ability. This ensures that they are provided with reading and writing support that is tailored to them. Depending on how far your child has reached in the programme, they may have a reading book sent home with them to practise for the week, as well as an online book. If your child does not bring home a 'phonics book', please be encouraged to utilise their weekly library book to discuss, re-tell and question their understanding as we build their reading knowledge.



Don't Forget!

Please don't forget that you can find out about your child's learning in different ways. Firstly, you can log in to your child's Tapestry account. Please note that their Tapestry journals will be deactivated at the end of this year. Secondly, you can go onto our class page on the school website:

<https://www.bostonstnicholas.co.uk/noahs-ark-class-eyfs-2/>

Lastly, you can visit our Twitter Page! @StNNoahsArk



Marvellous Maths

Our focus this term is:



- **Number:** We will be consolidating our knowledge of numbers to 20 and different ways to represent them.
- **Number (Patterns):** We will also be learning about number facts and patterns, such as doubling, sharing and odd and even numbers.
- **Shapes and Measure:** We will be consolidating our understanding of measure and shapes.

PE Days

PE continues to be on a Monday and Friday.

Please ensure your child comes into school wearing a full P.E uniform.

This should be plain black or navy bottoms, plain white t-shirt and trainers or plimsols.

PE kits should not include any branded or patterned items of clothing.

Earrings should be taken out on PE days and long hair should be tied up.

Things to Remember...

Your child needs to bring each day:

- their book bag (essential for carrying their brand new reading books)

The weather is warming up and because lots of our learning still takes place outside, please ensure that your child comes into school suitably dressed. We learn outside during all kinds of weather, so it is important that your child comes to school with:

- Suitable, black shoes and a coat in case it rains
- A jumper or cardigan
- Sun cream and a sun hat on hot sunny days

You are welcome to pack your some child spare clothes in case of any water or messy play through the day, but we also have some spare clothes in school that can be borrowed and returned if needed.

Mrs Gibbons is happy to discuss or meet with you if there are any questions or concerns.

