

Class 2 Newsletter - Autumn 2017



Thank you to all of the parents who attended our parent/teacher meetings this week. It was really useful to share information about how well the children have settled into their new class.

Our topic for the second half of the autumn term is "Festivals of Light" which we have started with a study of the Hindu / Sikh festival of Diwali. The children have started working with clay to make beautiful diya lamps; their skills will develop further as we introduce coil pots before Christmas.

In English, our featured novel will be *The Firework Maker's Daughter* which will lead to work on instructions and script writing. In maths, we are studying a unit on place value which links very closely to measurement.

Homework

Literacy homework will be set on a Wednesday and a spelling test given the following Monday. Pupils are also expected to read every night and record their reading in their homework diary.

Maths homework will be set on a Thursday. Pupils are also expected to work on their maths passport at home.

If pupils do not complete homework on time, they will be expected to complete it at breaktime.

Diary dates:

Please use the newsletter for further updates

Sat 4th Nov Christmas Fair

Friday 17th Nov Countryfile Ramble

Please do not hesitate to ask if you require any further information or support.

Mrs Metcalfe / Mrs Harker-Jones / Miss Addis