



Dosbarth Col-huw Nursery News

Friday 11th May 2018

What we have been doing this week

This week we have been learning to draw simple boats, focusing on drawing straight lines in different direction and drawing triangles for sails. We developed our photography skills by taking photographs of passing traffic, we then practised this during our independent learning time. We looked at photographs of hot and cold destinations and discussed the clothes we would need to wear. We then sorted clothes into groups. Leading on from the story we listed to last week, *The Journey* by Neil Griffiths, the children retold the story through movement and by working their way around an obstacle course.

NEXT WEEK - Our focus of the week will be the Royal Wedding. Children are invited to wear party clothes on Friday - £1 donation towards school fundraising to develop our school grounds.

Home Learning

This week we had some lovely models of vehicles. The home learning grid is available on our web site.

BOOK BAGS

We run a library on Thursdays and Fridays, it is during this time an adult will spend time with your child on a one to one basis discussing books and developing early reading skills. Please can all children bring a book bag into school on these days so we are able to change their book. The book will then come home with you to share and enjoy.

Sound Books N2 Children (children going to reception in September)

Please can sound books be kept in the book bags so we are able to update them when necessary.

Sounds

N2 children continue to revisit the sounds below with our older children
m, a, s, d, t, i, n, p, g, o, c, k, u, b, f, e, l, h, sh, r, j, v, y, w, th, z, ch, qu, x, ng, nk
Younger children (N1) are working on identifying initial sounds when looking at different objects and pictures.

Maths

Keep working on counting up to 10 objects accurately. Children are learning to rote count to 10 and above.

Weekly Finger Gym activity - Practise screwing tops onto bottles - very tricky but good exercise.

LAP Dragons and Community LAP Dragons -

Sessions run on Thursday 11.30-1.00 for current nursery children and 2.00-3.00 for children in our community. ALL ARE WELCOME. Next week - fun with seeds.

Family Fridays

Next week there is a taster session for an accredited craft session starting June 8th (five week course). This session is open to all families in our school.