

Kingsway Infant School



Reception Newsletter Spring 1 2019

Topic: Animals around the World

Below we have outlined some of the learning activities for the reception classes this half term.

Secret Storyteller



Please sign up to be a secret storyteller. Children are always very excited to find out who our secret visitor is. The sign up list are displayed outside between the classrooms.

Literacy



We will be sharing fiction and non-fiction text about animals such as Say hello to the snowy animals, Farmyard Hullabaloo, Handa's Surprise, Joey the kangaroo.

Reading books will be changed every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Please see our website link for phonics resources to help you support your child.

Children will be taking home library books which will be sent home on Friday and must be returned by the following Wednesday.

Please keep practicing your keywords.

Maths



This half term we will be learning about:

- Money
- Addition
- Subtraction
- Sharing
- Problem solving
- Measuring
- Estimating

Around the World



This half term, our topic is Animals Around The World. The children will be learning about different continents. We are going to find out what it is like to live there and the animals you would find there. We also will be celebrating Chinese New Year.

Writing

We would like children to continue to practise writing their name. If children are able to do that, we encourage children to try using the phonics that they have learnt already to try writing simple CVC words, captions and sentences.

Upcoming dates to remember

January 8th Spring term starts 8:55. Limerick Competition heats in class
January 11th Dance show, parents welcome 1:30pm.
 Limerick Competition Finals, finalist parents welcome 2:15pm
16th January WOW Wednesday Maths, 2:30pm, in classroom
25th January Green Class assembly, Green Class families welcome, 2:30pm

1st February Yellow Class Assembly 2:30pm Yellow Class Families Welcome
5th February Safer Internet Day
6th February WOW Wednesday Computing and E-safety 2:30pm in classrooms
7th February Year 2 visit Buck County Museum
8th February Blue Class Assembly, 2:30pm Blue Class Families Welcome
11th February Full Governing Body Meeting
14th February Superheroes Drama Workshop
15th February Achievement and Golden Book Assembly