



Welcome to Year X



School day

- Children may enter the classroom from 8:45. Children must not be left before this time as there is no adult supervision.
- The classroom door will be closed at 8.55am. After this time you need to go to the office to sign in as late.
- Children should be collected at 3:15 from their classroom. Please inform the office if there is another adult collecting your child. Children must be collected by an adult over 16 years old.

School Uniform

- School sweatshirt or cardigan with logo (red)
- Plain white polo shirt
- Grey trousers, skirt, tunic or tailored shorts of an appropriate length
- Plain black, grey, white or red socks or tights
- Red and white gingham dress in warm weather (optional)

Ready to Learn!

- We are all in school
- We are all on time
- We all have our indoor shoes
- We all have our P.E. kits
- We all have our reading book, reading record and book bag



Our learning this term . . .

- Curriculum flyers can be found on the website or please ask the class teacher for more information

Home Learning Expectations 2017-18

Home Learning Bingo

- Each term children will be given a home learning bingo sheet. They are expected to complete all 12 of the tasks on the bingo sheet over the given term. They will have a book to record these activities as well as for any other learning or activities they choose to undertake and would like to share.
- Books will be due in at the end of each term, with an opportunity to share learning so far before each half term. All children who complete the bingo sheet for the term will be awarded a head teacher merit.

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- My Maths - www.mymaths.co.uk
- Every child has their own My Maths log in details. These can be used to access work set by the class teacher as well as additional activities.
- To log into My Maths, you will need to log onto The Reddings part of the website using the login name **reddings** and password **tangent89**.
- Children have their own login details to access set activities.
- Remember to check out after completing a task so your teacher can see the work you have undertaken.

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Reading

- Reading should be a daily activity for all learners. Children on the banded book levels should read these books regularly and this reading should be noted in their reading record before their book is changed. These books are chosen at a level where children can read with an accuracy rate of 96 – 100% to support a growing independence and enjoyment of reading. All other reading is also encouraged. All children benefit from reading to adults, adults reading to them and talking about what is being read.

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Spellings

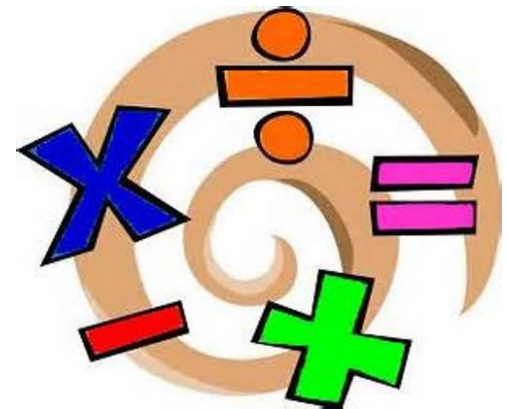
- Spelling patterns are explored over a two week period. The spelling pattern, with related tasks, will be sent home in home learning folders on a Friday and will be due back the following Wednesday.

Mathematical Fluency

- Developing number fluency is a key part of the National Curriculum for maths. Developing rapid recall of number facts, including number bonds and times tables, is crucial in ensuring fluency. Weekly activities will be sent home in the home learning folder on a Friday and will be due back the following Wednesday.
- Children are expected to know all their times tables by the end of Year 4.

E-Safety

- Access to the internet for your child. To support your child staying safe we advise the electronic device is in the same room as you where you can see what your child is doing/accessing
- My Maths— all children have log ins – its free and can be access on tablets and l pads too.



PE

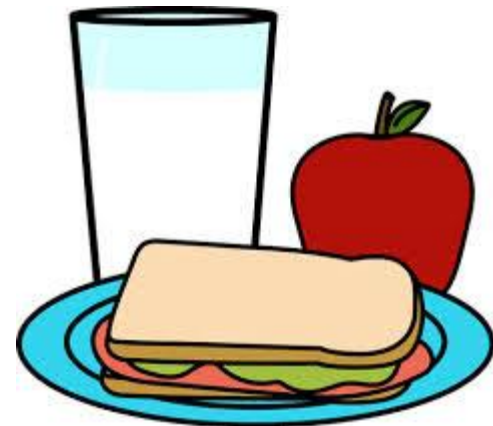
- We may take opportunities for additional PE sessions so PE kit must be in school everyday.
- Additional PE kit is required for clubs, particularly for activities where they are likely to get muddy!
- Letters will be sent out for year groups having swimming sessions.

PE Kit

- White T-shirt (plain or with gold school logo)
- Black shorts
- Black tracksuit bottoms
- Trainers (Velcro or laces)
- School PE hooded top (optional)

Lunches

- Crisps are only allowed in packed lunches on a Friday
- In order to help keep children with nut allergies safe, we request that no nut products are included in food brought into school
- School Dinners are £2.50 per day – please pay in advance



Where is my jumper?

It's red.



- Please name **all** of your child's property
- Children also need a full PE kit with trainers all clearly labelled
- If your child is undertaking a sports club at lunch time or after school please ensure they have a separate PE kit

Water

- Please provide a water bottle for use in class
- Single use water bottles are not suitable



Time off from school

- If your child is unwell you need to telephone the office on 01442 406500
- Time off for other reasons is not usually authorised by school, except in exceptional circumstances



Assessment

- During the Spring Term, we will be inviting you in to discuss assessment.

Speak to the teacher...

- If you would like to talk to me please come at the end of the school day unless its urgent or write me a note
- Teachers may also be emailed.



Reports and Parent Consultations

- Autumn Term 1: a short report followed by parent consultations
- Summer Term 1: the main school report is sent at the beginning of term followed by parent consultations
- Summer Term 2: a short end of year report