

Just to let you know

Homework

Maths Facts – Fraction wall

Reading task – Please also continue to sign in your children's reading record when they've read three times in the week.

Spelling rule – Prefixes

A prefix is placed at the beginning of a root word to change its meaning. This week we are focusing on the following prefixes; 'un, dis, mis, im'.

unwell
uninterested
disappointed
dishonest
misbehave
misplace
impossible
impatient

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Dear Parents,

It has been lovely to see your children back at school. We have had a very successful first few days introducing our new topic, 'It's a Wonderful Life.'

Thank you all very much for sending the children back in with all their correct equipment. We are trying very hard to prepare the children for moving onto Secondary school where organisation of equipment is important.

Dates for your diary:

17th January Sex Ed meeting at 2.30pm

7th March Natural History Museum

27th March Wintershall

Happy New Year,
JJ, Tom, Helen and Mary.

Topic

This week we have considered what being alive means. The children have learned about the seven life processes.

Movement
Reproduction
Sensitivity
Growth
Respiration
Excretion
Nutrition



See if they can tell you what each one means, in relation to animals and plants.

English

We have begun to read extracts from 'The Hobbit' by J.R.R Tolkien as our English stimulus for writing. The children have really enjoyed writing a newspaper report on the battle between the dwarves, Bilbo Baggins, Gandalf and the Goblins.