



Class 1 Newsletter

29th January 2016



Chinese Enrichment Day

We had a fantastic day on Wednesday learning even more about China! In class 1 everyone traced the Chinese letters to spell 'Happy New Year' or 'Kung hei fat choi!'. It was a busy but exciting day and the finished lanterns are now hanging in our classroom ready to celebrate Chinese New Year on the 8th February.



Beebots

On Monday in maths we were using the Beebots to think about direction and position. The beebots only follow very precise instructions so we have been thinking about how many steps forward and backward they need to go to send them to our friends. We have even been thinking about turning left and right, it was great fun!



What are we doing next week..?

Next week we are going to be reading 'The Great Race' which is a traditional Chinese story about the different animals of the Zodiac. It is Chinese New Year on the 6th February and 2016 will be the year of the monkey.

Do you know which Zodiac animal it was when you were born?

Outdoor Area

On Thursday Miss Sawyer made a visit to class 1 to help us with some Literacy work. We all had a look outside at our fantastic outdoor area and the new things that had been built. We then thought it would be a good idea to write a thank you letter to Mr Stoner for all his hard work and also which new things we would like out there. We had lots of ideas such as castles and slides and everyone's writing was brilliant.



Week beginning 1st February...

Monday: Bring back Library books

Tuesday: Forest schools pm

Wednesday: PE kit. Homework books in.

Show and Tell—green group

Friday: Stay and Play

We are still having Stay and Play sessions on Friday mornings so don't forget to sign up on the noticeboard.

Letters have gone home this week about Parent's Evening so please bring back your reply slip as appointments will be booked on a first come first served basis.