

Newsletter

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Assemblies

This term our Assemblies will continue to be based on characteristics of affective learning. Through a story, I have been introducing the children to animals which display characteristics they may be able to use to help them with their learning across a range of situations. Already we have met an owl who is able to fly up high and look ahead to plan the route that will be taken. We have also met a chameleon who is adaptable across lots of situations and is able to change to the task as needed and finally we met a tortoise who is slow and steady but through resilience and “stickability” is able to see a task through to the end, no matter how long it takes or how hard it may seem. These characteristics are being followed up in class as the Teachers see the children demonstrate them.

Termly Overviews

You should have received the outline of teaching and learning for the forthcoming term. This allows you to know what the children are studying. We are always pleased to hear about museum visits, day trips or library visits that support with this.

Foundation

All children should have bought home a questionnaire from the NHS. We would appreciate your support in completing these and returning by Friday 25 January so that we can pass them to the NHS by the end of the month.

Dragon Club

Dragon Club Half Term Booking Forms are now available from the Dragon Club.

Mrs E Parish—Associate Headteacher

Managing Stress and Anxiety Within our Children

Melissa Hutchings will be holding the above workshop at Speenhamland School from 9.30 am to 11.30 am. Flyer attached with this newsletter for further details. If interested, please book through the School Office.

PTA News

We have had the first PTA Meeting of the year this week resulting in a busy year for us. Our PTA Newsletter is set to be coming out soon so keep an eye out for that. It will give more details on upcoming events and key dates for your diary.



Miss M Oakham