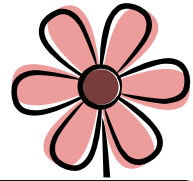




Spring Term Newsletter



Welcome back!

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year! We hope you all had a lovely break and would like to welcome everyone back for an exciting Spring Term in Foundation 2.

This term our learning will be based around two main topics. Before half term, we will be exploring Fairytales, sharing and retelling well-known stories, developing our vocabulary, and using our imagination through role play, writing, and creative activities. After half term, our topic will be Growing, where children will learn about plants, animals, and how living things change over time through hands-on experiences and observations. During our Growing topic, we are very excited for a special visit from chicks, which will give the children a wonderful opportunity to learn about life cycles in a real and memorable way.

In Maths, our focus will be on developing a secure understanding of number composition, helping children see how numbers are made up of smaller parts. We will also be exploring shape and measurement, including length, height, weight, and capacity, using practical resources and everyday problem-solving.

We are very pleased with the progress the children are making in Read Write Inc. They are becoming increasingly confident with their sounds and early reading skills. Please continue to support your child by reading at home. We ask that children read at home **at least four times a week** to achieve their **Fab 4**. Thank you for your continued support with this.

We have also sent Tricky Word Books home this week. Beginning to learn these words by site in Foundation 2 is crucial for early literacy.

Please also look out for an invitation in the post to our upcoming Teddy Bear's Picnic. As part of their learning, the children will be writing and posting their own invitations for their teddy/toy which is always a very exciting experience.

Thank you, as always, for your support. If you have any questions or would like to discuss your child's learning, please speak to a member of the Foundation 2 team.

We look forward to a fantastic Spring Term together.

Kind regards,

The Foundation 2 Team

