

Hassocks Infant School
Weekly information for Parents and Carers
Weekly Overview

Year group: 2

Date WC 11.9.23

| Area of learning | What we will be learning |
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| Communication, Language and Literacy | <p style="color: red;">We will be introducing our new text, 'Postcards from Crabby Spit' by Roland Harvey. The children will be thinking about what it is like at the beach and using different adjectives to describe seaside experiences. The children will be encouraged to think of their senses to support their descriptions.</p> <p style="color: red;">The children will be restarting their Little Wandle phonics sessions in class and on Friday we explore the 'words of the week' spellings; who, why, come, could, would.</p> |
| Mathematical Development | We will be investigating place value and looking at the different ways we can represent the tens and ones by using a range of manipulatives. |
| Knowledge and Understanding of the world | <p>RHE Our topic this term is 'Being Me in My World' and this week we will be exploring how our rights and responsibilities help us to learn and keep safe in school.</p> <p>Geography We will be looking at the oceans around the world.</p> |
| Expressive Art and Design | <p>ART</p> <p>The children will be developing their collaging skills with the focus of creating their own sea animal collage.</p> |
| Physical Development | We will be exploring team games and practising ball skills. |
| Any Other Information | <p>The children have had a fantastic first week back and it has been lovely getting to know our new classes.</p> <p style="background-color: yellow;">A reminder that our PE days will be on Tuesday and Thursday. Please can your child bring in a named PE kit including T-shirt, shorts, trainers/plimsolls and as the weather gets cooler a pair of jogging bottoms and sweatshirt. They will be able to leave their kit in school for the term and take it home at half term. Please can we remind parents that children with long hair should have it tied back for PE and earrings removed or provide tape for them to be covered during the PE lesson. Also, please could we ask that children only wear lace up shoes or trainers if they are able to tie them themselves.</p> <p>Please can all children bring in a named water bottle containing only water and a named sunhat while the weather is fine.</p> <p>We will take the opportunity over the next couple of weeks to listen to your child read in school, however, we will not be sending books home straightaway. We will send more information about this in due course.</p> <p>We look forward to seeing you at our 'Learning Journey' (Meet the Teacher)' chat on Wednesday where we will share with you what your children will be learning this term and answer any questions you may have.</p> <p>Thank you for your support,</p> <p>The Year 2 Team.</p> |

Please note this is a basic overview of the planning for this week.

It is impossible to cover in this outline all the learning that takes place during a week! We also believe in listening to your children and responding to the children's interests and ideas therefore all our planning is **very** flexible. Please note some of the learning will take place across more than one week and during some weeks the learning focus may not cover all curriculum areas.