



F1 Autumn 1 Newsletter



High Five

Following the school values: Respect, Creativity, Determination, Excellence and Good Choices children receive a sticker and a 'High 5'.



Home News

Please feel free to take a 'High Five' card, just by the door, to record any successes at home. For example, starting swimming lessons, writing their name or enjoying special family events. We would love to read and display them on our High Five board.

What a fantastic start to F1 this year!

For some children it is the beginning of their school journey and they are doing so well. Well done Little Cubs! Mr Callaghan-Wetton has also been very impressed when he has been to visit us. If you have any concerns or questions please feel free to have a chat with your child's key worker after the session. You are also welcome to send an email:

rhart@kingedwin.notts.sch.uk

Singing

Using nursery rhymes with your child is very effective in helping them with patterns of language and speech sounds. It is a major part of our provision as it aids speech development whilst having fun. The children have also loved singing Dingle Dangle Scarecrow and Cauliflowers Fluffy. Can your child sing these songs to you at home as they did at the Nightingale?

Yoga

We have been practicing our 'Downward Dog' and 'Butterfly Leg' poses during yoga sessions. Yoga helps your child's concentration, balance and relaxation. Why don't you have a go!



Forest School

On Wednesday we went to our first Forest School session. The children loved exploring, finding minibeasts and climbing. Please send your child wearing suitable clothes and footwear for these sessions, especially as the weather changes.

Dates for diary

9th – 15th October

Book Fair 3:15- 4pm

Monday 15th October

Community Day 6-7pm

Friday 26th October

Deadline to pay for the PANTO

Friday 26th October

INSET day

Monday 5th November

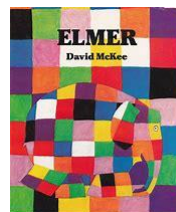
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Our Theme

This half term our topic is 'All About Me'. It has been amazing to see so many baby photos. We have enjoyed guessing who the baby in each photograph grew up to be. If you still wish to send one in, it would be greatly appreciated

Please have a chat with your child about what makes them special.

Elmer, by David McKee is excellent for recognising how unique we all are.

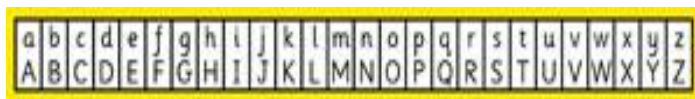


Baking

The children love our baking sessions. So far we have made yummy apple crumble cakes and delicious pizza swirls. We ask for a contribution of **£2.50** per term to cover the cost of ingredients. The recipes are available if you wish to make these at home.

Phonics

Each week in Phonics we look at a new sound. This will be displayed as you enter the classroom. Can you bring an item beginning with each sound of the week for our display? We have been learning a new alphabet song, ask your child if they can sing along to our rap. "ab...abc....abcdefg..."



Keep in touch

Don't forget to follow us on Facebook and Twitter for regular updates and photographs. You may also find our school website useful too.

Parents meetings take place every term.

F1 newsletters are published termly.