



# F1 January Newsletter



## High Five

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



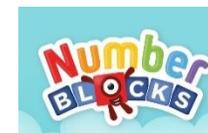
Happy New Year everyone! Welcome to all the new children who have joined us, they are settling in so well. What an exciting journey they have ahead of them.

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](mailto:rhart@kingedwin.notts.sch.uk)

## 1..2...3...

We have introduced the number of the week. During our sessions we will be singing number songs, counting and building our own Numberblocks from Cbeebies.



## Home News!

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

## Let's Talk

Our talking tip is: to give children time. Children need time to process what has been said and work out what they will say. Use facial expressions to show you are listening and happy to wait.

[www.communicationtrust.org.uk](http://www.communicationtrust.org.uk) has lots of useful talking tips.

## Weather

As the weather turns colder use this chance to explore the frost, ice and even snow. It is great to talk about melting and freezing. You could even set a challenge to see who can melt the ice first.



### Dates for diary

#### Forest School

A message will go out when this starts again.

#### **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February**

Half Term

#### **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February**

Return to school

#### **W/B 25<sup>th</sup> February**

F1 Parents Evening

### Our Theme

This half term our theme is People Who Help Us. We will be learning about different people who help us in school and our community. Watch out for some 'Secret Visitors' we will be having someone each week come and visit F1, tell us about their job and read us a story. Will we be able to guess who it is going to be...?



### Baking

The children love our baking sessions. So far we have made yummy sausage rolls and delicious rocky road. 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.

### Can you help?

If you work in a school or our community, linked to our theme and think you could come in share your story, please speak to your child's key worker.

### 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 this sound for our display? We have been learning a new alphabet song, ask your child if they can sing along. ab...abc....abcdefg...

