



KS1 Newsletter Monday 4th March 2019



This is art and D&T week at Overstone. The theme is around buildings and sculptures. Each class' learning will centre on this topic, with Maths and English being delivered through this area. The parents are invited into the school hall on Friday 15th March to look at what the children have been up to.

This week we will be:

- Reading and writing instructions on how to make different structures
- Learning about 2d and 3d shapes, then designing patterns and items using these
- Seeing how we can identify 3d shape properties, by looking at their 'net' and making our own 3d shapes using these
- Seeing what iconic structures there are in the UK
- Using nets to make a building from a traditional tale
- Playing a range of games in PE
- Following sequences in Dance

Parents' Evening

We are looking forward to sharing the successes and accomplishments of your child this week. In these sessions, we are limited to 10 minutes, but we will aim to cover your child's current progress in their work, attitude to their learning, how they interact with their peers and areas for improvement with which they could be helped. If you feel you have any questions that might need more time to be discussed, please contact your child's teacher and we will be happy to arrange a suitable time where this can happen.

Forest School

Please ensure children are coming in with the correct, labelled items. The weather varies at the moment and Mrs May will ensure that appropriate clothing is worn down the forest.

SpellingShed & Mathletics

We like to provide a range of different learning platforms for the children to access, either for homework or to continue their learning at home. These two websites will have allocated activities based around our current learning or they will have activities the children can select for themselves to complete. There are leader boards to provide an incentive for children to complete and practise their skills, but most of the time the children simply enjoy completing the games. We have noticed an improvement in the children who access these games regularly in their schoolwork, either in their spellings or their calculations. These will be available all the time for the children to access.

Dates for your diary

Monday 4th March- Parents Evening

Wednesday 6th March- Parents Evening

Friday 15th March- D&T Showcase

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards

The KS1 team