

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a lovely week we have had. The children have enjoyed learning all about their new English book Naughty Bus and have had fun exploring plants by sorting the different parts.

English: - This week we will be continuing the story 'Naughty Bus! The children will be having a go re-writing part of the story whilst changing it to their own character e.g., the Naughty train.

Phonics: - We will continue learning new alternative sounds: o making an /oa/ sound e.g. host, most. A making /o/ e.g. swans, swallow. U making /oo/ e.g. bush, full. U making /yoo/ e.g. unicorn, uniform. Ch making /ch/ e.g. school, orchestra. Ch making /sh/ e.g. chef, machine and ea making /e/ e.g. heather, meadow.

Maths: - We will be exploring how to use number lines to 20 and estimating where the numbers will be placed.

Music: - We will be learning to keep the pulse to a familiar song.

PSHE: - We will be working with a partner to complete a goal.

Science: - The children will be learning about different parts of trees.

Art: - This week we will explore colour mixing using primary colours.

Geography: - This week the children will look at world maps and explore the continents.

RE- This week, we have a visitor from North West Surrey Synagogue coming to speak to the children about Judaism.

P.E. - We will be practicing dynamic balances forward and backwards on a line.

At home you could:

- Please continue to read your reading books - even if it is just for five minutes per day. Remember - reading the same book is a positive thing! It helps to develop fluency and confidence.
- We will be looking at trees in science can you go on a tree walk and see if you can find some trees that look different?

Notice:

PE

Squirrel & Hedgehog class- Monday

Fox Class- Thursday

All classes - Multi-sports every Wednesday

Key Dates

Thursday 22nd January- Shared Learning

Friday 30th January - Brooklands Museum Trip

Wednesday 4th February - Safeguarding Session for Volunteers- Any current/prospective parent volunteers who have not yet attended a session or who last attended in Spring 2025

Library

Children will be visiting the library once a week and will be able to borrow a book. We ask that their library book is in their book bag so that they can change it on their library day.

Brooklands Museum helpers: Please could each class rep confirm which parents are volunteering to help with trip and inform the class teacher.