

DORMICE CLASS WEEKLY BULLETIN

Term 1 Week 4

Key Information

- School clubs/after school wraparound care starts
- Harvest Week – please bring in non-perishable food donations

Monday	Today we will be visiting the library to choose a book to share at home
Tuesday	
Wednesday	Miss Atkins teaching in the afternoon Year 1 homework due in/new homework given out
Thursday	Tag Day – wear clothes suitable for forest school Forest School with Mr Banks Film Night 3.05-5.15pm (bookings close Weds 4pm)
Friday	Harvest Festival at St. Mary's Church 9.00-10.00am. Parents welcome to join us. PE – please come to school in your PE kit Little Wandle books for Year 1 sent home

Earrings

Following parent feedback, earrings no longer need to be removed for PE however they must be covered. Please cover earrings on PE days or send tape/plasters in your child's bag, this will not be supplied by the school. Earrings should be removed if they are not covered.

Notes

- This week we are talking about our families. We would like each child to bring in a photo of their family to talk about and add to our home corner display.
- We have lots of create makers in Dormice so I would like to ask you to start sending in clean and dry junk modelling materials (small boxes, tubes, tubs, lids etc.)
- Please consider putting girls in cycling shorts under their skirts/dresses as our learning is very physical and this helps them to move freely while maintaining their modesty.

This Week's Learning

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Overview</u>
	This week we will-
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	-Talking about what makes a good friend -Making our class friendship charter
Communication and Language	-Developing our vocabulary through Drawing Club, stories, rhymes and poetry basket. -Talking about who is in our family. -Enjoying Hey, Diddle, Diddle and Humpty Dumpty (Year R)
Physical Development	-Developing our fine motor skills through Dough Disco and activities within provision. -PE and outdoor activities will help us develop our coordination, movement and physical confidence. -BEAM coordination activities – Reception -Tag Rugby – Year 1
Literacy	-Our Drawing Club story this week is <i>So Much</i> . -Exploring new vocabulary such as family, relative, single, celebration, grandparent, adored. -Practicing writing our names and graphemes we have learnt so far.
Maths	Reception (White Rose): Match identical objects, match pictures and objects, explain why objects match Year 1 (White Rose): Place value within 10, Count objects from a larger group, represent numbers using objects and pictures.
Understanding the world	- Science: exploring how to keep our body healthy and how our families help us do that. -Continuing our learning about the Creation Story. Thinking about the question "Why is our world special?" -Beginning to look at signs of autumn in the environment
Expressive Arts and Design	-Create family collages using different media. -Make loose parts family pictures.