

Learning and Laughing all of the way

Palace Class Newsletter

We would like to welcome you all to our very first newsletter of the year. You will be sent these termly to inform you of what we have been learning at school.

The children have settled in and we are amazed at how well they come into school in the morning and how much progress they have already made! Our topic of Creep, Crawl and Wriggle has allowed the children to learn all about mini beasts by reading some lovely stories, such as *The Bad Tempered Ladybird*, *Butterfly Bouquet*, *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* and *Bumble bear*. We also had a lovely visit from *Jaws and Claws*, where the children were very brave!

We have been making excellent progress with our phonics and the children have been working on the following sounds.

**s, a, t, p, i, n, o, m, c, k, g, h, f,
l, ck, u, b, d, e**

Please continue to support your children with recognising these sounds and to have a go at writing them too.

We are learning to listen for the beginning sound in each word too.

In Maths we have been learning to recognise and write our numbers from

0–10. Please could you practise this at home, count anything, even the stairs! We have also been making patterns and sorting objects according to shape and colour. Perhaps they can sort some of their toys at home too?

Dates for the Diary For Term 2

Monday 27th October—Start of Term 2

Monday 27th October- Bumblebees and Ladybirds Pumpkin Picking

Tuesday 28th October- Butterflies and Caterpillars Pumpkin Picking

Wednesday 5th November- Firework Night Come and Play

Wednesday 26th and Thursday 27th November—Reindeer centre Trip

Tuesday 9th December—Nativity to Parents (2 showings)

Friday 19th December—Last day of term

Facebook Page for EYFS Parents.

If you are on Facebook, please join our EYFS page for all updates on what we are doing in class, and to chat to us and other parents. This is a closed group—so just search Green Park Primary School: The Foundation Stage and we will add you to it once you have answered the security questions.

Farewell

This term, we're saying a fond farewell to Mrs Reid and wishing her every happiness in her new adventure. A huge thank you for all the wonderful things she has done! We're also thrilled to welcome Miss Allan to our EYFS team - we can't wait for all the fun and learning ahead!

