



Dear Parents / Carers,

We all hope you had a lovely Christmas

In Pandas unit this term our topic is 'Fairy tale food from where?'

The children will study a variety of traditional tales including:-

- The Enormous Turnip
- The Gingerbread Man
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- Goldilocks and the Three Bears
- The Little Red Hen

We will be focusing the children's attention on learning to retell these traditional tales by heart.

We will also be looking at non fiction books about food and also food poetry.

We will continue to stick 'Talk homework' in to your child's reading diary to support their learning during Monday's 'Big Write' sessions. We ask that you support your child in doing this homework with them.

Please check their reading diaries daily for notes from us, also their book bags for homework and letters. Thank you.

We will continue to give your child phonics homework which will be linked to the phonics work your child is working on in their differentiated lessons. This homework will be word lists or activity sheets, it will be given out every Friday to be returned the following Thursday.

In Numeracy we will be saying and using number names, counting, recognising numerals, using language to describe shapes, sizes and position. We will also be using a wide range of resources to develop the children's problem solving and reasoning skills.

Each week your child will have Numeracy homework relating to the Numeracy topics being studied that week. This will be given out on a Friday and we ask that your child completes the work for the following Friday. Thank you.

P.E.: Our indoor P.E. session is on a Tuesday. Please ensure your child's name is on every piece of clothing. Some jumpers and plimsolls are not named and it is difficult when they all look the same. If your child wears earrings could we ask these are left at home on that day.

Reading: The children will have a reading book that will be matched to their ability. Your support in listening to your child read at home is appreciated and your child's reading diary will be stamped weekly if your child has read four times at home.

If you have written a note for us in your child's reading diary can you please encourage them to bring it to us to discuss or leave it on the teacher's chair.

Things we need in F2:-

Spare clothing to fit 3-6 years - boys and girls pants

Junk modelling materials- small boxes, egg boxes, buttons, pipe cleaners, sequins ribbons etc

If you ever have any concerns or questions we are more than happy to answer these either at the beginning or the end of the day.

Thank you for reading this letter. With your help and support together we can continue to make a real difference.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Phillips

Mrs Dawkes

Mrs Keetley

Toton Library Visits - Spring Term 2012

Date Friday 1.45-2.30	Tigers Turtles Penguins	Date Friday 9.45-10.30	Pandas
6.1.12	Turtles	6.1.12	Pandas Mrs Phillips
13.1.12	Penguins	13.1.12	Pandas Mrs Dawkes
20.1.12	Tigers	20.1.12	Pandas Mrs Phillips
27.1.12	Turtles	27.1.12	Pandas Mrs Dawkes
3.2.12	Penguins	3.2.12	Pandas Mrs Phillips
10.2.12	Tigers	10.2.12	No library due to Behaviour Cup Assembly
17.2.12	HALF	TERM	
24.2.12	Turtles	24.2.12	Pandas Mrs Dawkes
2.3.12	Penguins	2.3.12	Pandas Mrs Phillips
9.3.12	Tigers	9.3.12	Pandas Mrs Dawkes
16.3.12	Turtles	16.3.12	Pandas Mrs Phillips
23.3.12	Penguins	23.3.12	Pandas Mrs Dawkes
30.3.12	Tigers	30.3.12	No library due to Behaviour Cup Assembly