

Dates for your diary

Friday 20th November 2020 – Wear Blue for Anti-Bullying Day
Friday 11th December 2020 – Christmas Jumper/Lunch Day
Friday 18th December at 2pm – end of Autumn Term
Tuesday 5th January – Spring Term begins

Home Reading

Your child will bring home two reading books every week. One will be their phonics reading book and the other will be their banded reading book. Please read with your child for 10 minutes every night and write a comment in their home school diary.

PE

Daisy class PE day is *Thursday*.

Please ensure your child has the correct PE kit in school on their timetabled PE day. Children must have a full PE kit (a white t-shirt, green or black shorts and plimsolls) to ensure personal hygiene and safety.

Spare Clothes

A set of spare clothes can be brought in and left on your child's peg in case of any accidents.

Nursery Autumn 2 Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the start of an exciting new half term at Hoxton Garden Primary School!

This term our topic is 'Hot and Cold Environments'. We will be looking at some aspects of the natural world such as animals and natural objects. We will also talk about why things happen and how things work.

A good relationship between home and school is important to children's learning. Please feel free to speak to us about your child's progress or any concerns you may have. We are available to talk after school on most days. You will find information about what your child will learn this half term inside this booklet.

We look forward to working with you and your child.

Best wishes,

Nursery team

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Communication and Language

We will be listening to others one to one and in small groups.
We will be understanding the use of objects.
We will begin to use 'and' and 'because' orally.
We will be connecting and explaining ideas.



Understanding the World

We will be showing interest in the lives of others and who we are familiar with.
We will be asking questions about aspects of our familiar world and occasions we celebrate.
We will be operating simple equipment such as iPads and the PC.

Literacy

We will be enjoying rhymes and rhythmic activities.
We will be listening and joining in with rhymes and stories.
We will continue to give meanings to our marks.

Physical Development

We will be moving freely with confidence in a range of ways (shuffling, rolling, crawling, skipping and hopping).
We will be negotiating space and adjusting our speed and direction to avoid obstacles.

Expressive Art and Design

We will be enjoying dancing and ring games.
We will be singing familiar songs and moving rhythmically in response to music.
We will be expressing our feelings through movement.

Mathematics

We will be learning to sing number rhymes.
We will be reciting numbers in order to 10.
We will be counting objects and actions.
We will be using the language of quantities e.g. 'more' and 'a lot'.
We will be making patterns with shapes
We will be learning to identify 2D shapes and sort them.

We will be observing the effects of activities on our bodies.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be playing in a group and extending and elaborating our play ideas.
We will be welcoming and valuing the praise we receive.
We will be learning to be aware of our feelings and the feelings of others.