Dates for your diary

Monday 16th 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

PE

Rose Class will be having PE sessions every **Friday**.

Bluebell Class will be having PE sessions every **Friday.**

Please ensure that your child has his/her correct PE kit on that day.

PE kit: Black leggings/shorts, white T-shirt, plimsolls/trainers

Homework

Literacy and Numeracy homework will be sent out every Thursday. The class teacher will collect homework from the children on Monday mornings.

Home readers will be changed every Friday. Please read with your child for 10 minutes every night and ensure that the home school diary is signed every day.

Hoxton Garden Primary School

Reception
Autumn 2
Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to another exciting term at Hoxton Garden Primary School. We hope you have had a restful half term and are looking forward to the new term.

This term our topic is 'Hot and Cold Environments'. We will be looking at similarities and differences in relation to places, objects, materials and living things; and talk about the features of our own immediate environment and how environments might vary from one another.

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.

Best wishes,

Reception team

Our topic this half term is 'Hot and Cold Environments'

Communication and Language

We will be continuing to maintain our attention and concentration during activities.
We will be learning to understand humour.
We will be responding to two-part instructions.
We will be extending our vocabulary and exploring the meaning and sound of new words.

Understanding the World

We will be looking closely at similarities and differences.
We will be looking at patterns and change.
We will be completing simple programmes on a computer.
We will be using ICT hardware to interact with computer software.

Literacy

We will be segmenting sounds in simple words and blending them together
We will be giving meaning to our marks as we draw, write and paint
We will be continuing to hear and say the initial sounds in words
We will be continuing to learn to write our name

Physical Development

We will be learning how to throw and catch a bean bag using an underarm throw. Once we become confident we will learn how to bounce and catch a ball with a partner. We will be eating a range of healthy food and understanding variety.

Expressive Art and Design

We will be building a repertoire of songs and dances.
We will be exploring different sounds and instruments.
We will be mixing colours and exploring what happens.
We will be creating simple representations of events, people and objects.

Mathematics

We will be recognising numerals and counting objects.
We will be using mathematical language for 3D and 2D shapes.
We will be finding one more and one less than a given number.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be initiating conversations.

We will be developing confidence to speak to others.

We will be understanding that our actions affect other people.