

Cedar Weekly Newsletter

Friday 18th September 2020



Home Learning

The homework for this week is a short reading comprehension which will be uploaded to Google Classroom. We have practised logging into Google Classroom in school this week so your child should feel confident accessing this at home.

For this week, we would like you to read at least four times at home and enjoy sharing stories as a family. Please record your reading in your reading logs. We cannot wait to hear all about what you have been reading!

Attendance

Attendance this week in Oak class was 96.86 %.
Let us see if we can get a higher % next week!

Attendance is so important to us at Dunsford Community Academy and we really value and appreciate your support with this. Please ensure that your child attends school every day. Every day missed is 6 hours of learning lost. We are aiming for 100% attendance in Cedar class every week and we know that we can do this!

If your child is experiencing any symptoms of COVID-19, then please contact the office before bringing them into school. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Dear Parents,

We have had another amazing week in Cedar Class! It has been a pleasure to teach Cedar Class this week as we have got to know the children even more. The learning and teamwork we have seen both inside and outside of the classroom has been incredible. The children are continuing to settle into our new routines and we are really pleased with the determination the children have shown. Collecting our dojos as a reward has been a highlight of our week!

In writing we have begun to identify our different writing features that we will focus on this year. The children have really enjoyed using a different stimulus each day to inspire their writing. We were very proud of the writing the children completed when we used the woods at school as our stimulus. The children used their imagination within our picturesque surroundings and created some brilliant pieces which we really enjoyed reading.

In maths this week we have had a week of 'Inspirational Maths'. The children have demonstrated their mathematical understanding as we took a look at different mathematical challenges. The children worked brilliantly as a team as they emerged themselves into the challenges. They have also had the opportunity to log into Times Table Rockstars at school. Please continue to use this at home!

This week, we have started to introduce reading and phonics sessions. All children will now have access to either Accelerated Reader or Bug Club phonics. Accelerated Reader books will go home with the children and Bug Club phonics books will be allocated as E-Books for you to access online. The children will bring home their reading logs to allow the reading completed at home to be recorded. Please ensure your child brings their reading log to school each day as this will be monitored in school each week.

The children will bring home a homework book this week. The homework will be set on Google Classroom each Friday and the children should complete this in their homework book. The children can either take a photo of this and upload it onto Google Classroom or bring their book into school. Homework is due in on Wednesdays.

We would like to thank you for the ongoing support you are showing. The children will have PE again on Wednesday so please continue to send your child to school in trainers on Wednesday. We hope you have a lovely weekend! Please contact us if you have any questions or require any support with logging onto our online resources. We will be happy to help!

Miss. Holt and Mrs. Guntrip



 <p>Star Pupil of the Week</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Star of the Week</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">This week our star of the week is Henry Hern. Henry has shown great perseverance since returning to school, demonstrating a positive attitude towards each aspect of his learning and behaviour. Well done Henry!</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Important Dates</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Each week we will share with you any important dates that you need to be aware of. We will always endeavour to share these in a timely way.</p>