



Orange Class

Autumn 2019 Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the Autumn term in Orange Class. We hope you had a nice summer break. Our logo for this year is Pumpkin. My name is Ewa and I am Orange class teacher. In our team are also Olu, Victoria, Esther, Tara and our mealtime supervisor, Tanya.

This first half term our Themed Curriculum will be based on Food Topic. The children will focus on how to cook, taste, explore different fruit and vegetable. In Science we will use different equipment and skills to learn how to prepare a healthy meal. We will create exciting Art work using raw fruit and vegetables such as dyeing fabric using beetroots! In Geography we will visit different countries to explore the fruit grown there. In PSHE our focus this term will be making independent choices and exploring a variety of materials. The class will be developing their physical skills in P.E. through the topic of Gymnastics. We will continue to have English and Maths on daily timetable.

On Thursday we have Dance and on Friday we have PE. Please send in a PE kit (e.g. jogging bottoms/ shorts and t-shirts). This will be put in a labelled bag that will be kept in school and sent back home at the end of each term. Also please can you send in a complete change of clothes for your child, just in case we need to change them, including vests if worn and socks. This can be put in their school bag or in a labelled carrier bag that can be kept in school. On Tuesday we have Swimming which will resume next week for this term. Please can you send in swimming trunks/costume, towel, as well as a swim nappy/pad or specialised swimwear if your child needs it. You can buy specialised items in stores as well as order them online.

I will continue to write in your child's Home/School book to let you know how their day has been and please do write back and let me know anything you feel would be helpful. We will be glad to share and hear about your child through their Chat Book. It is always nice to see photos or messages about their favourite activities or experiences at home. We will be writing in the Chat books on Fridays, so do please ensure we receive it back by then as well as the Homework books. Thank you! We are very much looking forward to working with you and your child this year and I hope to meet you all soon.

Best wishes from Ewa, Olu, Vicky, Esther and Tara