

Oak Class Newsletter – 30 November 2018



KNAYTON
C of E ACADEMY



School Dates

December

Saturday 1st - Christmas Fair
Thursday 13th - 1 - 3.30 Sports hall Athletics
Thursday 13th - Friends School Disco
Monday 17th - Nativity, 6pm
Tuesday 18th - Nativity, 2pm & 6pm
Tuesday 18th - Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day
Wednesday 19th - EYFS & KS1 Christmas Party 1.30-3.30pm
Thursday 20th - KS2 Christmas Party 1.30-3.30pm
Friday 21st - Leake Church service, 1pm
School Closes 2pm

Our Learning this week

In English, we have completed our Newspaper Articles, using a variety of skills within them. The children have published these newspaper articles, and these can be seen on the class blog.

In Maths, Y5 have focused on developing their understanding of perimeter, and have looked at finding missing lengths of composite shapes. Y6 have continued their focus around fractions, where they have developed their confidence with adding and subtracting proper and improper fractions, as well as mixed numbers.

In Big Idea, they have created their own musical score to a Tom and Jerry film. They are continuing to make their theatres for the Puppet Show along with this.

In PE, they have continued to develop their Gymnastics routines and looked at developing their running and jumping techniques for Athletics.

Homework

- Please ensure children are reading at home 4 to 5 times per week. We read on a daily basis at school and this needs to be mirrored at home.
- Y5 have been provided with a Blockbuster decimal game
- Y6 have been provided with a Blockbuster percentage game
- Both Y5 & 6 have been provided with the Y5/6 Key Spelling List. They will be challenged weekly on these.

Reminders

- Next week, we will be continuing the new Maths initiative called 'Early Bird Maths'. This will begin as soon as children enter school. To support this, we are opening the school doors at 8.45am, to ensure the children have as much learning time as possible. Please try to get the children into school for this time, as this will be beneficial for their learning.
- Please ensure children are bringing in appropriate footwear for Forest Schools on a Monday, and appropriate PE Kit for a Monday and Friday.
- Children should have both outdoor and indoor shoes for school.