



**Peek at the week
Maple and Cherry Class
WB - 03.11.20**



Welcome back, we hope you have all had a lovely restful half term.

Hopefully you have all had a go with the new reading books, PLEASE remember to keep the reading folder and books in the children's book bag so they always have them at school for us to read with them.

Phonics & English

We are now starting Phase 2 phonics.

This week we are thinking about sounds and seeing which ones the children know already.

This is ahead of starting phase 2 next week, when we will also be sending home some phonics activities for them to practise, writing, sounding and blending.

It is really important that these sheets are completed along with the reading and we will be checking regularly to ensure things are up to date

Maths

We are starting to look and explore the numbers 1,2 and 3. This might seem simple but we are looking at ALL the properties of the numbers and how to use them.

Understanding the world

We will be sending via parent mail the new home learning challenges. Please don't forget to send us emails when these are completed as we love sharing their work and giving out DOJO points.

One of the challenges is to draw/make a balloon about a family celebration so we would especially love to see these so we can print and display them in class

PSED

We will continue with the core values and we will introduce, collaboration, then pride, then motivation. So do please continue talking to your child about these and feel free to let us know of any examples they have shown at home.

Expressive Arts and Design

Thank you very much for all your recycling for making models. We now have enough for the time being and will let you know when we need more again.

Communication and Language

This Half Term - We will be using lots of language around 'doing words' and using full sentences. Such as I am running, I am skipping, he is hopping, she is painting.

Physical Development

This half term we will be looking at the children's dexterity and exploring ways to strengthen their core muscles, ready for writing. In PE they will be practising gymnastic skills, and some simple team games

Cherry class have PE on a Monday and Maple on a Friday.

PLEASE ENSURE ALL EARRINGS ARE REMOVED FOR PE