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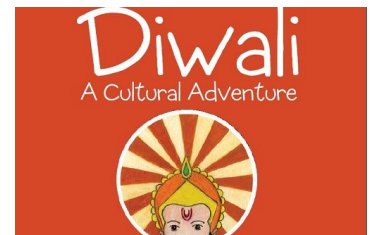
Arnbrook Primary Foundation Stage

Newsletter

Somehow we have already gone through a whole half term! All the children have settled beautifully. Thank you so much for all your support. Please keep sending the WOW moments from your half term holidays! Don't forget you can send them via dojo.

Diwali

This week we are looking at Diwali! Your child may well be bringing home lots of brightly coloured pictures in celebration of this fantastic festival. We will also be talking about light and dark a lot as it is the festival of light.



Thank you for your help on our walk!

We had a fantastic, if a little damp, walk on Monday. Thank you so much to all the parents who joined us and made it possible for us to go.



Stay and Play

The first Wednesday after half term (1st November) at 8.40am until 9.00am will be our first stay and play session. Come and enjoy some fantastic experiences with your child! Magic moments books will be available to look at.

Fun this week!





Coats and Jumpers

As the weather gets colder please don't forget to ensure your child has a **named coat** as we will still be outside even if it is raining! Please can we ask you to make sure all children's jumpers and cardigans are named!

Family Box

Look out for a family box coming home with your child soon if they are in reception, nursery children will be a bit later in the year. It will have instructions for how to fill it. It comes home on Friday and needs to come back to school on the Monday.



PE Kit

As you know PE has already started in reception. You will need a White polo-shirt or T-shirt. Black shorts for indoor PE, Black tracksuit bottoms or leggings for outdoor PE. Black plimsolls and a Draw-string PE bag. **These all need to be named please.**

Children are permitted to wearing a pair of flat stud earrings. These must be removed for all PE lessons. If you want your child to have their ears pierced, please have them done at the beginning of the summer holiday so that they are healed by September and the earrings can be removed.

Attendance

Huge well done to **Rabbits for 100% attendance last week!** Special well done to Squirrels too with 99%!

Thank you also for making sure your child is in school on time. Don't forget if your child is ever unwell or unable to attend please do give the attendance office a call 01159 6499388 and let us know before 9am.

Rabbits	100%
Squirrels	99%
Foxes	97%
Hedgehogs	94%
Badgers	92%

Important Dates:

23rd-27th Oct Half Term

Wednesday 9th November- 1st Stay and Play 8.40-9am

Mon 11th Dec PM Nativity including reception & afternoon nursery

Wednesday 13th Dec AM Nativity including reception & morning nursery
22nd Dec Break up for Christmas

