



Leas Foot Class

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 17th September 2021



Home Learning in Leas Foot Class

Home learning consists of Reading and a curriculum focused subject.

Reading

We strongly encourage, where possible, that all children read everyday. In Leas Foot, the children's books will be changed by their RWInc Teacher at least once a week. The children will also have access to a range of picture books from the library, which they will also bring home to enjoy with you.

Home Learning

This week, year 2 will have six spellings to learn. The whole class will also come home with their numbots password in case they would like to continue to use the platform to practise their number facts.

Reminders.

Please record any reading your child does at home in their reading diaries.

Please ensure that your child has a P.E kit in school on a Monday and that all items of uniform and PE kit are clearly named. I will then ensure their PE kit is sent home on a Friday.

Dear all,

Wow! What a super busy week it has been in Leas Foot class. As you may have noticed I was not in school at the start of the week due to training, so the children have been taught by Mrs Hassell and Mr Carr. I was absolutely thrilled to hear wonderful feedback from them both about how amazing the children were. Well done Leas Foot!

This week, we have continued to settle back into our routines and we have started to join as a whole school in our assemblies again. It has been fantastic to see the whole school together and hear them singing.

Maths

Year 1 have begun their very first block of learning focusing on their numbers to 10! The children have been practising their numeral formation, sorting objects into groups and naming the quantities within each group. What a fabulous start to their Year 1 mathematical journey! Year 2 have started to look more closely at numbers to 100. They have been using the numicon ten and one pieces to show me different two-digit numbers and explaining how they know they are showing a specific number. They have also spent time recognising and writing the two-digit numbers in numerals and words.

As historians, we have spent time beginning to understand what is meant by the passing of time. We have been discussing the terms past, present and future, as well as thinking about how we have changed over time. Thank you for sending in photographs, they have helped to support our discussions based on the past using the language then and now.

As artists, we have started to look more closely at the work of the local artist Yvonne Coomber. The children spent time looking at examples of her work and discussed the things they liked/disliked as well as the things they noticed and whether it reminded them of anything.

As scientists, the children started to explore what they already know about the seasons. We discussed the changes we might see during each season and started to name the months which fall in each season. The children then made their own seasons wheel to represent the key features of each season.

You may or may not have noticed that our class email address hasn't been working properly. I can now assure it is back up and running, so if you do wish to contact me you can email leasfoot20t@lapsw.org and I will do my best to get back to you as soon as I can.

But remember, I am on the playground after school most days so please do come and see me if you have any concerns or you have any questions.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Williams

Star of the Week!



Stars of the Week!

Archie Moore

Archie has gone above and beyond to do what he can to be helpful in class this week. He can always be relied upon to set a fantastic example and will always take the time to offer help to his fellow classmates. Well done Archie, what a superstar!

Attendance

Our attendance target is 98%.

Last week's attendance was 92.2%

Diary Dates

Thursday 7th October - Collective Worship at Church
Thursday 14th October - Harvest Celebration at Church

Let's try and improve next week!

Tuesday 19th October - Yarmer & Leas Foot trip to Plymouth Synagogue & The Box
Museum

Monday 25th- Friday 29th October - Half Term

Friday 17th December - End of Term