Tilery Primary Newsletter FS2

Dear parent/carers,
Happy New Year! We hope you had a wonderful Christmas. This is our first newsletter for FS2 of the New Year, and we will use these newsletters and Seesaw to keep you up to date with what your child has been doing throughout the term. We feel it is very important to show our parents/carers their child's progress and learning journey. We have many fun things planned and we aim to keep you as up to date as possible. Thank you for your continued support.

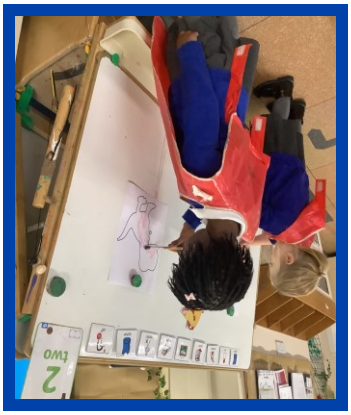
Spring Term Topics

Heroes and Villains - Children learn about relationships and life in the past and present through reading traditional stories and role play and dressing up.

At the Zoo – Children learn about the natural world through animals and their habitats.

Children have gotten off to a flying start learning to read and write with the Read Write Inc. phonics programme. Please continue to support your child at home by reading, practicing flashcards and watching the videos uploaded to SeeSaw each week.

We have been posting pictures of your child's learning on Seesaw. Please take time to look and celebrate this with your child. We would love to see pictures of children completing activities from **100 Things Before You Leave Tilery EYFS!**



Core Subject – English

Children take part in Drawing Club sessions each day where they draw and write about an exciting range of characters, settings and adventures from quality texts, traditional tales and animations that we read and watch. Children also build their vocabulary by learning words linked to the stories through actions

Core Subject – Maths

Alive in 5!
Mass and capacity
Growing 6, 7, 8
Length, height and time
Building 9 and 10
Exploring 3D shapes

Dates for your diary

7th February
Number day
21st February
Break up for half term
4th and 5th March
Parent Consultations
6th March
World Book Day
10th March
Science Week
11th April
Break up for Easter

Books we read in the Spring Term

Our PE day for this term is Wednesday. Please ensure your child is not wearing any jewellery and that they come to school wearing their sporty clothing.

Start and finish times

Here at Tilery we have a "soft start" option, this means the doors will open at 8:30am and the children can come inside and have a bagel and a drink if they wish. Registration happens at 8:45am and lessons will commence immediately after. If your child arrives after this time they must go to the office to receive their attendance mark and choose their lunch option. The school day finishes at 3:10pm.

Uniform expectations

The offical Tilery uniform is as follows:

-Yellow/white polo shirt

-Blue jumper/cardigan (badge optional)

-Navy blue jumper/cardigan (Y6 ONLY, badge optional)

-Grey/black trousers, skirt or pinafore

-Black school shoes/trainers

Please ensure that all of your child's belongings are clearly labelled to avoid items going missing.

Please ensure that you read with your child everyday. Reading is crucial to overall progress. If you are experiencing any issues with using Boom Reader, please let us know.

We are always available to talk to you before and after the school day, if you have any concerns or questions about your child.