



## **EYFS Curriculum Newsletter**

## Autumn 1 2023



#### This Term...

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#### Welcome to The Abbey primary School...

This is an exciting term supporting your children with settling into the new rules and routines of school and encouraging them to make new friends and feel confident in their class. Our Community code teaches children about being helpful, kind and thoughtful at home and at school. Children will explore how they are unique and special, the importance of friendship and how people in their family, school and local community are important and can help them.

#### Let's Explore

Here, the children will learn about the environments that they share with others, including their homes, school and places in the local community.

<u>Build it up -</u> Lots of exploring with the children about structures and materials and the opportunity to work in groups to create collaborative structures.

## Thought of the term...

Strength doesn't come from what you can do.

It comes from overcoming the things you once thought you couldn't.

Be your best.
Aspiration and Courage

InMAT value: Inspiration

How I can help my child at home. Supporting at home...

**Storytime** - Never underestimate the importance of reading to your children. Every bedtime story you share develops your child's vocabulary and enhances their imagination.

Reading - A phonic book or sentence sheet, a story and a reading record book will be sent home with your child as the term progresses. We ask that you read at least three times a week and that you to sign and or comment in the record.

Phonics - Your children will be coming home with sound sheets so that you can help support your child to recall the sounds we are learning in school. We encourage the children to recognise the letter sound only. Encourage your child to think of words that begin with the sounds by playing 'I spy' type games.

Do please see you child's class teacher if you would like help or advice with any aspect of your child's learning.

# Dates for the diary.

5<sup>th</sup> September- 1<sup>st</sup> day of school!

20<sup>th</sup> October – Friends Pumpkin Carving Competition

20<sup>th</sup> October – End of Autumn Term 1

30<sup>th</sup> October – Start of Autumn Term 2

# Reading Recommendations -









