

Nansledan School

Head of School: Mrs V Dilnot

Johnson Class Information

28th Sept, 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

We would like to thank you and your children for an amazing start to their first term back at Skol Nansledan, in what has been a different set of circumstances to usual. It is wonderful to welcome back familiar faces and those who are new to Johnson class. We are enjoying getting to know each child better and to hear what they have been up to over the last few months! Johnson Class have been settling in well to their new classroom and timetable. We would like to share some information with you about the school day to also keep you informed about what is going on.

Curriculum

Please go to the school website and take a look at our class page where you will find this terms STEAM Curriculum overview and information about our Covid-19 Recovery Curriculum. At this time more than ever, we are relying on your support to help children catch up key areas of learning that were missed as the result of the national lockdown. We hope that the curriculum overview will support you as you talk to your child about their learning in the coming weeks and support them with home learning tasks. https://www.nansledanschool.org/web/pioneers/351460

Playtime

Your child has their playtime from 10:20 – 10.35am each day. If possible, please ensure that your child comes into school with a piece of fruit as their snack. Please note that cereal bars and crisps are not considered a suitable snack for playtime. Please also ensure that your child also has a named coat for playtime and lunchtime. Even on sunny days, the playground is very exposed, which makes our school site prone to cold winds!

PΕ

This year, indoor PE sessions will take place on a Friday afternoon. Outdoor PE lessons will take place on different days across a week, dependent on the weather. The children should already have their Nansledan PE kit in school, though if this is not the case please ensure that their kit is in school as soon as possible. Please ensure every item of PE kit is named (including shoes!) and is in their Nansledan PE bag. As the weather will certainly turn colder over the forthcoming months, please also ensure that your child has suitable outdoor PE kit, i.e. a warm jumper and tracksuit bottoms.

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Reading books

Your child has completed their STAR reading assessments this week and will be coming home with their reading books very soon. We encourage you to read on five occasions a week with your children, for a minimum of 20 minutes each time. Once your child has finished their book, they will be able to bring it back in to school to complete their quiz and earn their Accelerated Reader points if they pass the quiz. Please note that books will be quarantined on their return to site, so will be unavailable for other children to read for a period of up to 72 hours.

Homework

Your child's homework will be handed out on a Friday and will be due in on the following Friday. Spellings will also follow this pattern and will be tested on a Friday. Homework will be allocated to your child using the Google Classroom platform for online learning. A separate letter detailing additional information on this will be available to you very soon.

<u>Behaviour</u>

Last week you will have received a letter providing you with login details to view and track your child's Dojo rewards. Once logged in you will be able to see the reason behind their reward(s) and they are able to alter their monster's appearance should they wish. Alongside this Berners-Lee class are also working hard to earn pom poms to fill our class bucket. Once we have filled our class bucket, we will be able to choose a class reward.

I look forward to speaking to each of you in the next week or two through our parent/ carer consultation telephone conversations where we can discuss how your child has settled back into school. These phone calls will take instead of the usual Autumn Term Parents' Evening.

Finally, if you have any other questions or queries regarding our school routines, please do ask a member of the Johnson teaching team (Miss Durston, Mrs Allen, Miss Rich or Miss Le Masurier). Please note that the Johnson class team are the first port of call to share concerns or queries with. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours Sincerely,

Miss H Durston and the KS2 team.

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