

Snapdragon Class
Autumn 2 Newsletter
2022 - 2023



Snapdragon Class Staff



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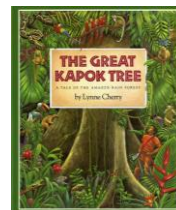
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Welcome

Welcome back to the second half of Autumn term. We hope you had a restful break after a busy first half-term. We are really looking forward to the coming weeks with many exciting events and important dates to acknowledge and celebrate in class. I have no doubt Snapdragon will continue to work hard in all areas of school life and I am excited to see the continued achievements of all pupils.

This term our book is...



Curriculum

This half-term our whole school topic is 'Rumble in the Jungle'. We will be exploring this theme in our class book 'The Great Kapok Tree' where we learn all about the importance of rainforest conservation. During our English lessons, we will be using this book to support our sentence structure and vocabulary development. In PSHE we will continue to learn about emotions and how to deal with them.

In Maths, we will be working hard on our measurement skills, with a focus on length and height, using the White Rose scheme of learning. In Science, the pupils will learn about living things and their habitats.

This year, we will be spending even more time focussing on developing our independence by regularly visiting the community, thinking about our next steps through life and using a scheme called Skills Builder to develop some key skills within these areas.

The pupils will also enjoy Food & Nutrition and Performing Arts with our subject specialists Alison and Hilary.

Whole School Diary Dates

18/11/2022	Children in Need – Spotacular
06/12/2022	Upper School Christmas Performance 13:30 – 14:30
08/12/2022	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day £1 donation
08/12/2022	Ideal School Meals Christmas lunch
09/12/2022	Lower School Christmas Nativity 09:30 – 10:15
09/12/2022	Coffee Morning for parents/carers – Sleep Talker
16/12/2022	Christmas jumper day
16/12/2022	End of Term
04/01/2023	Start of Term

Key Class information

PE – Monday PM – Please ensure your child has appropriate footwear

Cooking – Thursday PM – We ask for a voluntary donation of £1 per week to pay for supplies

Community Inclusion – Friday PM – We will be visiting the community most Friday afternoons to support pupils independence in the community

Keeping in touch

Please use the home school book to inform us of any important information relating to your child. We will check it every day but please log into Tapestry for your daily class update. Don't forget to add any home experiences to Tapestry as this provides us with a valuable link to home.

Any absence or to notify us of a medical appointment please email: willoughbypastoral@prioryacademies.co.uk

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