



Dormice Class Weekly Newsletter

Autumn 1 Term 1 Week 8



Key information

REMINDER - NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS Monday, Tuesday or Thursday

Monday	Today we will be visiting the library- please return library books today so that the children can change them. All Little Wandle books to come back today please!!
Tuesday	Parents Evening - please look at your child's work in the classroom before/after speaking to me
Wednesday	Roots to Food - Children need to bring in an apron to wear
Thursday	Headteacher Tea Party 5pm - 7pm Spooky Disco! Bring water bottle and up to £5 in a labelled purse/wallet- in 50p coins please
Friday	Tag Day 2/10 - please pay online if you haven't already done so please wear something you can do PE in. No Little Wandle books will come home today. Have a lovely half term!

Phonics

We will be recapping all sounds learnt so far and applying them to read and spell simple words.

We will also be reading and spelling the tricky words- I, is and the

*We will be assessing all children in phonics this week

Notes

*Next week we are hoping to do lots of pumpkin play. We would be very grateful of any donations of pumpkins please- any size!

*If you have any photos of your children trick or treating/ celebrating Halloween, please upload them to Seesaw so that we can share them.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Kind regards

Miss Payne and Miss Atkins

THIS WEEK'S LEARNING:

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Overview</u>
	This week we will-
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	* Working in a team to make a spider's web. *Tasting pumpkin soup.
Communication and Language	*Sing nursery rhymes and reciting poetry daily. *Using words linked to Halloween *Talking about their experiences of Halloween
Physical Development	*Playing games in a group *Negotiating space when playing games *Pegging legs on different spiders *Using hammers to hammer golf tees into pumpkins. *Making pumpkin soup.
Literacy	*Focus story-Room on the Broom *Drawing the witch from the story. *Designing a truly magnificent broom. *Using phonic knowledge to write ingredients for the witch's potion.
Maths	*Finding one more than numbers 0-3 *Finding one less than numbers 0-3 *Finding different pairs of numbers that make 1, 2 and 3.
Understanding the world	*Exploring pumpkins and finding out what is inside the pumpkin *Finding out about the life cycle of a pumpkin *Outdoor explorers- Wonderful Webs
Expressive Arts and Design	*Halloween art activities *Role play in our potion shop *Pastel drawings of pumpkins

Week 7 Attendance

We came 2nd in the school with 97.6% VERY GOOD!