

Canute Class Weekly Newsletter

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This week

Dear Parents/Carers and Children, Canute have had a very busy week. We had more fine weather for forest school. The children enjoyed finding different blues in the environment. We had a lovely day visiting Daya at Pelynt School. Daya told us about Indian culture and we heard Hindu stories. The children got dressed up into traditional Indian clothes, danced and made chappattis. They also got the opportunity to make new friends and try out lots of exciting play equipment. We have been lucky enough to have the company of the Y3, 4 and 5 children from Tregeagle every morning so as well as usual work we have enjoyed shared reading each day and worked in mixed age groups to make Mehndi patterns, rangoli paintings and more chappattis. The Chartwells lady visited us on Thursday afternoon to make Chicken Tikka Massala. It was great fun, Chief Tracey showed us how to chop onion, chicken and coriander and she let the children cook their ingredients in woks. We ate more chippattis with the curry – delicious! Now that the warmer weather is coming please send your child in with a sun hat each day.

HOMWORK

The children in Years 1 and 2 have their "Experience India" homework grid. Please could they choose one piece of homework from the grid each week. Homework should be handed in on Thursday mornings, but please let us know if this is difficult. Please practise spellings ready for the spelling challenge on Fridays.

Coming up...

Monday – Sports Day practice.

Gardening Club

Tuesday - Forest School

Wednesday- Open the Book Assembly

Thursday – ICT specialist taking Canute for English

Friday- PE in the village hall.

Some ways you could support your child's learning next week.

- Please listen to you child read everyday.
- Practise counting in twos, fives and tens.
- Practise handwriting, checking letters are formed properly.

Who looks after your child?

Monday to Friday morning – Mrs Lovell.

Friday afternoon – Mrs Isaac.

Miss McClellan every day, Mrs Dean every afternoon.

What does your child need to bring to school?

It is important that the children feel prepared and ready for learning each day. Below are the things that they will need:

Everyday

- PE Kit (we need PE kit in school every day in case we get a chance to practise for Sports Day).
- Reading Book, sound or word cards, reading record and book bag.
- Water bottle
- Coat, wellies and sun hat for outdoor learning.

Monday

- Forest School kit – Coat, warm jumper, old long trousers, old shoes / wellies, sun hat
Please bring kit.

What your child will be learning next week

English – Non fiction – writing instructions.

Maths- Division.

Science – animals and their habitats.

Computing – researching India and use Daisy Dinosaur to give instructions.

Forest School and PSHE – I can work with others to solve problems and complete a task.

RE – Hinduism

Geography– what clothes would I wear on a visit to India?

PE – practising for sports day.

Art – paintings of Indian wild animals, thumb pots.

Indian language – greeting - **Namaste (hello and goodbye)**