



The Heights Primary School

Key Stage One Parent Planner: Spring Week 6

Dear Parents/Carers

This term our theme is *Chocolate*

This week we will be:

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| Assessment | This week is assessment week so the children will be doing the following assessments: Grammar, Spelling, Reading, Science and maths. |
| English | This week in English planning and writing our stories for the 500 words or less writing competition. We will show both classes a clip of an animation (dreamgiver) where a mysterious creature comes into bedrooms and gives children dreams. We will then explore with the children what could happen in the story and then they will plan and write their own story. We unfortunately will not have enough time to submit the entries as they need to be typed by hand. We will be sending the finished stories home for adults to enter if they would like to. |
| Maths | This week in maths we are doing cross-curricular maths and measuring our heart beat before and after exercise to see the effect on our hearts. We are also lucky enough to have Dr Jamnicky visit us to show us how to keep our hearts healthy and help us to measure. Furthermore we will be doing maths assessments throughout the week. |
| Topic | Last week's art is being rolled over to this one as we did some more work on our science topic. Wednesday is also our sign2sing performance which will be at 2:50. Please return any donation forms to the office as soon as possible. |
| PE | As we have our sign2sing assembly on Wednesday we have moved our outdoor PE slot with the coaches to Friday 10 th February. Please ensure that all children have their kits on this day. |

The children in Year 2 have now started the Cracking Times Tables scheme. Every Monday they will have three minutes to answer times table questions. Each child should know exactly which tables they need to practise at home during the week. Help at home with this will enable them to be successful.

Please support your child by encouraging them to read at home every night. It is extremely important to ask them lots of questions and ensure they understand the meanings of unfamiliar words. Please record this in their record books that are collected in every day.

If you have any questions about how to help your child with their learning please see your child's teacher.

Best wishes, Miss Kennedy and Mrs Mullaney