



The Heights Primary School

Year One Parent Planner: Autumn 2 Week 7

Dear Parents/Carers

This term our theme is: **The Great Fire**

This week is Assessment Week and we will be:

English	This week we will be completing some assessments in Reading, Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar. The children will also be doing some independent writing which could be published on Pobble this week. We will continue with Reading Benchmarking this week and also begin some Phonics Screening assessments with the children where they will read a number of real and nonsense words using their Phonics. We will also be introducing the children to the difference between singular and plural words, compound sentences and suffixes like ed, ing and er.
Mathematics	In Maths this week we will be completing our Maths assessment.
Topic	In Science we will complete our end of topic assessment on different materials. The children are very close to completing their Tudor Houses and we're hoping that we can find some time before the end of term to recreate a small fire (If it stops snowing) in Pudding Lane (At The Heights). The children will be given the choice of keeping their Houses or watching them burn in the re-enactment of the Great Fire of London.

PE Kit - We have still found that some children don't have all of the items they need in their PE kit. Please can you make sure that your child has the following named items in their PE Kit.

- Long warm jogging bottoms
- PE socks
- PE T-shirt
- PE jumper
- Trainers (That have as much of the mud removed as possible)

Christmas Concert - Thank you to everyone who made it to see our Christmas Concert. The children worked really hard and their hard work paid off as it was excellent!

End of day - Please can we remind you that when you are collecting your children from the playground that your child has been dismissed by their teacher or teaching assistant before you take them. We always try our absolute best to ensure the safety of the children.

Student teacher - Mrs King, the student teacher in IVH has now started her 6 week placement at her second primary school. During her absence, IVH will have a new student teacher called Miss Nott teaching them. She will be joining us for the next 6 weeks and starts today.

Pobble - We have a number of children who do not have permission to have their work published on Pobble. If you would like your child's work to be published please can you make sure that you have used the email to give permission for your child.

Best wishes,

The Year 1 Team