Amble Links First School

LINKS NEWS



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2015 SCHOOL DIARY

Attendance for Week 7		
Our school target is 95 %		
OVERALL LAST WEEK- 90%		
Reception (Turtles)	82%	
Year 1 Jellyfish-	87%	
Year 2 Puffins -	96%	
Year 3 Sharks-	94%	
Year 4 Penguins -	91%	
Well Done Puffins	s! 💎	



In to Win Winners for Autumn Term 2

On Tuesday we drew the winning tickets in our 'You Have To Be In To Win' draw for good attendance and punctuality. Only 36 names were in the draw for a trip to Spurreli which will take place soon. The lucky winners for last half term are:

> Bonnie Durham, Charlie Stone, Joshua Nelson, Millie Angus, Ben Stevens, Harry Charlton.

Don't forget that to be entered into the draw children have to have 100% attendance for a full half term and no more than 4 latenesses.

Lunchtimes

This week we've been speaking with the children about eating with a knife and fork at lunchtimes. Many children find this quite a difficult skill to master so we've been supporting them with holding cutlery correctly so they can cut up their own food. We hope that they will continue practising at home.



Key Stage 2 Football

For the next few weeks our Year 3 & 4 children will be taking part in some coached football sessions as part of their PE lessons. Please make sure that they have a warm PE kit and sensible footwear for outdoor sessions.

E-Safety

Every half term our first ICT lessons are focused on keeping safe when online. From Year 1 to Year 4 the children have been learning about how to deal with cyberbullying, how to evaluate websites (as many try to sell things) and how to keep private information private by creating safe usernames. We have added more Family Tip Sheets to the E-Safety section of the school website if you would like to find out more.

Electronic Resources

Don't forget that the children have access to a huge range of resources through our school website. These include: Mathletics, NORTLE, Purple Mash and Curriculum Visions. The children have usernames and passwords in their homework books to allow access. Get the children to show you what they can do with some of these great free resources.



2013 SCHOOL DIARY	
Tuesday 13th January	3.15pm Meeting for Year 3 Parents about Robinwood
Friday 6th February	Parents invited to classrooms after assembly
Thursday 12th February	9am—Puffins Class Assembly
Friday 13th February	3.15pm Start of Half Term break
Tues 17th and Weds 18th March	Parents' Evenings

Robinwood Meeting for Y3 Parents

We hope that as many Y3 parents as possible will be able to come along to the Robinwood meeting after school on Tuesday. It will give us a chance to explain the current situation and hopefully help us to make a decision about when we go next year. If you are unable to make the meeting please come and have a chat with Mr Heeley who will be able to explain more. We will send a letter out shortly after the meeting; please reply to this as soon as possible to help us make our decision.

Breakfast Club lub is available to child

Breakfast Club is available to children from Reception to Year 4 every morning from 8.15am for a very small cost of 50p per session. Children coming along enjoy cereal, toast and juice with their friends and can guarantee being in class on time! Please do not bring children to school before 8.15am as we are not able to supervise them.

This Term's Curriculum

On the back of this newsletter you will find the class newsletter for your child's class. This gives information about what they will be learning about this term and how you can help them. There is also more curriculum information available for each class on the 'Curriculum' section on the 'About' tab on the school website.

Last week's MATHLETICS WINNERS for the last few weeks have been: Riley Grey, Daley Moore and Fynley Evans

Visit our website at: www.amblelinks.northumberland.sch.uk for lots more information!!



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