# Foundation Stage



## Flyer

**Spring 2 2014** 



### Personal Social Development

We are learning how to share and take turns without any adult helping us and learning to be independent around the classroom being a reliable member of the class.

We are thinking about the 6R's and which ones we can demonstrate in school, we think resilient is a good one when trying to work independently.

#### Mathematics

In Maths Makes Sense this half term we will be continuing with addition and subtraction and recording our maths story. We shall be learning to measure using the language of tall, short, wide, narrow, full, empty and linking this to the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. As well as all of this we want



and the Beanstalk. As well as all of this we will be making sure we can use positional language!! Wow we will be busy!

### Reading and Writing

When writing we still need to make sure our letters are formed properly using the Read Write Inc rhymes. Look out for people winning our first thin pencil passports... to be awarded one of these, we have to have both beautifully formed letters and all the same size. We are trying to read our books using an expressive voice making it interesting for the listener. This also shows how we understand what we have read.

### Communication, language and understanding

We will be working with partners; listening to them and discussing our work. We shall be listening carefully to instructions and carrying them to the best of our ability.

### Understanding the World

We are learning about 'People Who Help Us; and are planning lots of visitors to come to school. We will be learning about the emergency services who help us in Amble. Also this term lots of things happen ....Pancake Day -practising flipping! St David's Day and St Patrick's Day. As well as this we shall be learning about Easter Customs.

### Expressive Arts and Design

We are making a stage area in the classroom where we can sing, dance and act! We hope to make our own props in the creative area.

Photographs will be on display on our Flash Bang Wallop .... What a picture wall!!!

### Physical Development

Our gymnastic skills are progressing really well and we putting together a sequence of moving and balancing , if we become really good then we shall use the apparatus in the hall. Hurray we start swimming this half term!



### Helping at home

Read and discuss lots of stories, always write letters and numbers carefully and hold pencils correctly. Don't forget to check the homework and be our next Homework Hero!

Websites to help us:- www.phonicsplay (phase 2 or 3 activities)

Www.Topmarks /foundation literacy or numeracy:(lots of games to play)