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Reminders:

Your child will need their P.E kit every **Tuesday** and **Wednesday** It is really important that your child has the correct kit so that they are able to participate safely. If you have not been able to purchase any please talk to your class teacher.

Harvest Festival:

Please send your donations in to school on **Wednesday** morning.

Maths Day:

Tuesday 4th October will be a full day of maths; you are invited in to school at the end of the day so the children can show you how we teach, and they learn, maths strategies.

Marwell Zoo:

We will be visiting Marwell Zoo on **Thursday** 6th October. If you are able to help, please speak with your child's class teacher.

Children will need to wear school uniform (trousers or joggers for girls) and trainers.

Fluffy Friday:

This is a non-curricula day on **Friday** 14th October—details to follow!

Reading Journals

Just to clarify our arrangement with changing books. We aim to be available to change your child's banded book three times a week. This does not, however, mean that they must be changed this regularly. Please ensure you are discussing the text with your child. There are suggested questions and activities at the back of the banded books and directed activities at the front of the reading record. Our library book change day is **Wednesday**. This is when the children are given the opportunity to explore the school library and choose books that you can read at home with them.

Curriculum News:

English:

We have learnt about alliteration through a story 'We're all in the same boat'. The children wrote some super alliterative sentences.

Maths:

We used our place value knowledge to rescue Clare. Our 'Mission Impossible' was successful!

Keep learning your times tables for the weekly tables challenge.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=L2wBEDDiCzQ>

Topic:

We learnt about the water cycle and made our own rain gauges to measure and record rainfall at school.

Singing practise is underway in preparation for our Year 3 'Splash!' performance.

We are very pleased that so many children are getting to school on time and arriving in class at 8:40am ready to learn! This has ensured that we can make the best use of our time in the mornings.

Spellings: able, table, reliable, probable, vegetable, fable, available, capable