



Dear Parents,

Welcome back to the last part of the summer term. We hope you had an enjoyable break. This term the children will enjoy the experience of 'shuffling' up to Year 1 for the afternoon on Monday 22nd June & the morning of Thursday 2nd July. This will allow them to prepare for the move up in September.

We will be running our final EYFS 'Talk for Writing' morning this term which is scheduled for Wednesday 17th June. This will start at 9:10am and will run for approximately 30 minutes. Please let us know if you will be attending by emailing bursar@maidwell.northants-ecl.gov.uk

We are also looking forward to our visit from 'Animal Club' on the morning of Tuesday 16th June.

Please find attached this term's learning divided into the 7 areas of learning in the EYFS curriculum. If you need any further details about a particular area or activity please speak to Mrs Garley or email us on class1@maidwell.northants.sch.uk

If you need to contact us, please use the Class One email address which is checked at 9am daily (but not again for the remainder of the day) or for urgent messages use the bursar address (when reporting absences, please **ONLY** ring).

Mrs Garley

Wall Stars

A supply of wall stars will be sent out at the start of term for you to share your child's out of school achievements with the class during our Friday sharing time.

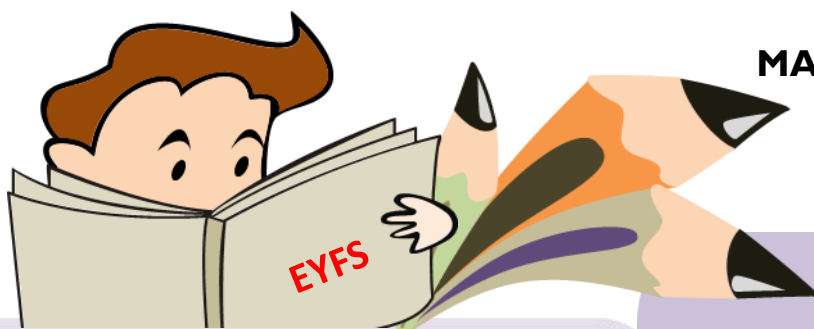
Toys from Home

As noted in previous newsletters and Parent Mails we do encourage children not to bring toys into school as they can get lost or damaged and can sometimes be a distraction during the school day.

Homework

Your child will continue to bring home their 'Busy Bee' book each Friday with a new challenge to complete. Details of the additional IXL maths challenge can be found on in the homework section of the school website.

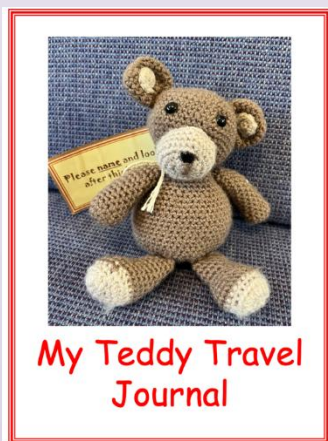
Additionally, the Read, Write Inc scheme books will continue to be sent home weekly. Please try to read each of the titles more than once with your child as this will improve fluency and embed their phonic knowledge. to receive a weekly Page Turner picture book for you to share together.



MAIDWELL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Early Years Foundation Stage

Curriculum Newsletter



My Teddy Travel Journal

The 'My Teddy Travel Journal' and teddy bear will be sent home on the last day of term. Please encourage your child to continue to write during the summer holidays by recording their exploits with their new teddy over the summer. Please allow your child to write with support as needed. Please return these diaries in September when we will share them with the class.

'Please look after this bear'

Communication and Language Following instructions Book Talk sessions including Never Heard the Word Grids to develop vocabulary On the Way home, The Paper Dolls, Grandma Bird, Faster Little Red Train, Peace at Last, Lost and Found, Out of Nowhere, Frank and Bert, When We Were Very Young, The Big Book of Bugs, Jobs people do Role play activities - Talk for Writing Whole school assemblies Rhyme of the week Role play area	Literacy Reading and writing Learning , reciting and innovating our Talk for Writing stories <i>The Tiger Who Came to Tea</i> <i>Handa's Surprise</i> <i>The Bog Baby</i> <i>Information text - The Snow Dragon</i> <i>Review Read, Write Inc Set 1 digraphs and Set 2 sounds</i> Write a sentence a day Range of high-quality books shared daily	Maths White Rose Maths EYFS How many now? Explore 3D shapes Manipulate, compose and decompose Sharing and grouping Supported by a range of maths books including Billy's Bucket How many legs? Once Upon a Time map book The Secret Path	
PSED Jigsaw PHSE sessions- 'Changing Me' My body Respecting my body Growing up Fun and fears Celebration Metacognition lessons: Strategies for learning	Early Years Curriculum Map Summer Term 2		Understanding the World Plant a sunflower seed and observe it growing Draw and label parts of a plant <i>What is special about the world? (KS1 RE unit)</i> Links to 'Magnificent Monarchs' (KS1 History unit) Find out about India - Read Usborne stories of India Investigate seasons: summer Links to 'Animals including humans' science unit (KS1 science unit) Talk about staying safe online
Physical Development Yoga sessions PE Lessons Range of Gross Motor skills outdoor activities Fine Motor skills activities including - Dough Disco, cutting, tweezers, threading, weaving, pegboards Daily handwriting practise Letter formation focus in phonics daily sessions	Expressive Arts and Design Art & Design unit: Sculpture - Creation station Making Father's Day cards Weekly music lessons Construction resources Mud Kitchen Range of art resources available (indoor and outdoor) Role play activities Making props, head dresses and masks for role play area linking to Talk for Writing story Percussion instruments available in provision	Characteristics of Effective Learning Be a ... Thinkasaurus  - o Having your own ideas - o Making links - o Choose ways to do things	