



Aslacton Primary School



OWL CLASS INFORMATION FOR PARENTS 2019-2020

Welcome to Owl Class.

The class is taught by Mrs Turk. She is supported by Mrs Mundford and Mrs Tyler on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. We have three teaching assistants in Owl class, Mrs Woodcock, Miss Neave and Mrs Hornsby.

We have an open door policy in our school and if you have any questions, or anything you would like to discuss with us then please come and speak to us; if we can't speak to you immediately then we will make a time to do so as soon as we can.

Show and Tell:

The children can bring things in for Show and Tell each Tuesday. This is a valuable way for the children to develop confidence when speaking to a group. The objects they wish to talk about should be brought in in a bag which is clearly labelled with their name. Try not to bring anything which is too large, or valuable, and please remember that devices such as iPads or iPods are not allowed.

Forest Schools and Outdoor Learning:

Owl class will take part in Forest School and other outdoor learning sessions during the term. Please ensure that your child has a named pair of wellies in school all of the time. They will also need an appropriate coat/waterproof in school each day as well.

Parent Reading:

You are invited into class one morning a week to share a reading book with your child. Please bring your child to the class door as you would normally do and then go to the school office and wait to be invited down to the classroom. These will begin on Thursday 26th September.

PE:

PE takes place twice a week. We aim to hold these sessions on a Monday and Wednesday but we change our timetable around to suit our learning, and to make the most of the weather. All children need an indoor kit (t shirt and shorts) and outdoor kit (t shirt, jumper, joggers/leggings and trainers) in their bag and in school every day. Please make sure they have shorts all year round as they are not able to go on the indoor gymnastic equipment in leggings and trousers. Earrings must be removed for P.E. We can not remove these for your child.

Reading books and home/ school message book:

We encourage every child to read daily at home. We will aim to change their reading book as soon as it has been read at home so it is really useful for us if you write about your child's reading at home. Your child will also have the chance to choose a book from our well stocked school library at regular intervals in the term; please make sure their school library book is kept in their book bag and returned to school every day.

Your Child's learning and Homework:

Each half term you will receive an overview sheet outlining the learning for the half term in addition every week you will receive a short overview of the planned learning for that week. The children have a homework sheet from which they can choose an activity to complete each week. Homework books must be handed in each Monday.

Newsletters:

The school newsletter is posted on our school website (<http://aslacton.corvuseducation.com/>) and in the classroom windows each Friday. This will give details of special events and other activities that are happening in school, along with details about clubs, lunches and other day to day information. Please make sure you see a copy of this each week to keep you up to date with life here at school.