

DROP SPOT

Dropmore Infant School Weekly Newsletter
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Autumn Term, Week 2

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NEWS

Friday sharing assembly

Will start back up from the 29th September!

Dropmore Open Days for new parents

Do you know anyone with a child starting school next September? Please let them know about our open days!

Tuesday 17th October
09:30-11:30
1:30-2:30

Friday 3rd November
09:30-11:30
1:30-2:30

Email the office to book a space:
office@dropmore.school



◆ 10th Robyn

PTA coffee morning/AGM



Friday 22nd from 9am in the school hall.
Come for teas/coffees and pastries and find out more about the PTA!

The first full week back is complete. PE lessons have started and we have been out on the field as much as we can before the cold weather sets in! Reception have read *The invisible string* and made some special hearts of the people they love. Towards the end of the week they had fun in our large outdoor school sandpit. On Thursday, I spent time in Reception running a 'pen disco', this involved the class drawing patterns or writing letters to music. The children tried very hard to hold their pens correctly and after we finished 'pen disco', we had our own real mini disco in the classroom!

Year 1 have settled into their new routines well. For maths, they have been recalling how to build the number 5 out of different numbers and count and sort objects carefully. In English the children have read *5 Minutes Peace* and discussed how to use capital letters in their writing.

This week, Year 2 have used mathematical equipment to explore place value. The children partitioned 2-digit numbers into tens and ones. In RE, the class looked through our religious artefact boxes exploring and discussing what they could see. In Science, they thoroughly enjoyed making special fortune tellers linked to the seasons.

This Tuesday is our 'meet the teacher' session at 2pm. I have enclosed a letter along with the newsletter about it.

On Friday the PTA are holding a coffee morning/AGM in the hall. We would like to encourage as parents as possible to come along and find out more about the fantastic work the PTA does and the ways to get involved. We rely so much on the support of the PTA, they have funded many resources and opportunities for the children.

They also run amazing events at Dropmore such as the Christmas and Summer fair.
Have a lovely weekend!

DATES FOR THE DIARY

For a full list of dates, [click here](#)

- ◆ Tuesday 19th - Meet the Teacher 2-3
- ◆ Friday 22nd - PTA coffee morning 9am

WEEK IN PICTURES



PE lessons start



Watching a Puppet show in Reception



Place value work

Autumn Term School trip!

The whole school will be going for a visit to **Brooklands Museum** on the 15th of November. More information to be sent out nearer the time.