

Monday 11th November

Dear Parents and Carers,

A huge thank you for all of your support in settling the children back in after half term. They have really enjoyed learning about superheroes and are looking forward to seeing some real life ones very soon!

Nativity

At the end of next week, your child will come home with the name of their part and potentially some lines to learn. We will begin learning the songs the week beginning **18th November** and will start rehearsing the play on the **25th November**. Please practice your child's lines at home with them if they have any, it makes rehearsing the play much easier! The show to parents will be on **Thursday 12th December at 9.30am**. You will receive more information about this and tickets in the coming weeks.

Manor Farm Trip

Thank you for offers of help. We have been overwhelmed with support for the trip and will therefore need to pick names out of a hat! If you have not heard by next **Wednesday 13th November**, please take this that unfortunately you will be unable to accompany us on this trip. We will let those needed know via My Child at School.

Phonics

Phonics homework will continue to be sent on Tapestry and the children will continue to receive new reading books each week, as long as their previous books are returned. We cannot emphasise how important it is that they practise the sounds and read as often as possible at home, it really does make a huge impact on their progress.

Maths

We will start sending home Maths homework bi-weekly. To begin with, this will just look at recognition, formation and counting amounts. If you have any questions about this, please let us know.

PE

PE is part of our EYFS curriculum and is therefore a lesson all children **must** take part in. As mentioned before, they are unable to do so for health and safety reasons if they have got earrings in. Please make sure they are removed when they have PE on a Thursday and every Friday.

Yours Sincerely,
Mrs Laura Button
Foundation Stage Leader