



Planning

Winter

- Making Ice sculptures and watch them melt.
- Look at how snow is made and how snowflakes are all different
- Talk about different animal living in cold climates such as polar bears and penguins
- Discuss how in different parts of the world it is not winter, such as Australia and New Zealand
- Reading winter themed stories
- Look at the clothing we need to wear and having lots hats, gloves and scarves in the home corner for the children to explore

Your Support

We would like to thank parents/carers for their continued support and understanding whilst we are trying our hardest to remain open, during this latest surge in Omicron cases.

We currently have 3 members of staff off at the moment, thankfully they are all not too poorly and are only displaying mild cold symptoms.

However, if we have any further staff absences then unfortunately, we would have to close. Therefore, we are asking parents to be extra vigilant and follow the guidance as stated in the email we sent out over the weekend. Thank you

Activity Sheets

We will soon be sending out some activity sheets for child to complete. Many children have siblings in primary school and see them doing work and like to join in too. It is also a good opportunity for you to spend time with your child and support them with their learning and development. This is NOT 'homework' and your child does not have to complete them, only if they want to!

Dates for your diary

Half Term

14th – 18th February 2022

School Application Closing Date

15th January 2022

Thank you

We would like to say a great big thank you for all your Christmas cards and gifts. We are extremely grateful and hope you all had a nice Christmas and would like to wish you all a Happy New Year. Let's hope this year is a better one!

School Applications

Please do not forget to apply for your child's school place by Saturday 15th January 2022 (this weekend). You can apply online at:

www.cumbria.gov.uk/schooladmissions

If you apply after this date, you may not get your first choice of school.

Questionnaire

Please look out for a questionnaire which we will send home with your child in the next few days. We would be grateful for a few minutes of your time to answer the questions.

Any additional comments are also welcome.

Many Thanks

Becky, Rhona, Megan, Helen, Angela, Stacey and Innes