

Mole Class Newsletter

Spring 1 2018

Dear Parents/Carers



Mole class topics



Our topic this half term is 'Make it go!'. We will be exploring different modes of transport, how we get to different places and investigating the forces that change the way things move. We will be designing and making our own mini vehicles and seeing how we can make them move faster or slower.

To continue with these topics at home you could try the following:

- ✚ Keep a tally of the different modes of transport you see.
- ✚ Make a poster on how to keep safe when traveling.
- ✚ Visit a new place. How did you get there?

English

Our topic in English this half term is 'Instructions'. We will be looking at the key features of instructions. We will write, follow and order our own instructions. Moles will be designing their own mystical creature and writing instructions on how to look after it! We will also continue to practice our speaking and listening skills as well as our reading.

Maths

In maths this half term, our focus is measurement. We will be using both standard and nonstandard measurement and investigating which is the most accurate.

We will also continue to focus on our number work throughout the week.



Topic key language

Key words that we are focussing on this term are:

Push, pull, travel, fast, slow, transport, forces



Mole Class staff



Mrs Wright will now be covering Miss Llewelyn when she is out of class.

Monday, Tuesday, every other Wednesday and Friday: Miss Llewelyn

Every other Wednesday and Thursday: Mrs Wright

Class TAs continue as last half term.

Important dates:

30th January: Mole class trip to St Mary's Primary School.

Week beginning 5th February: Arts week.

9th of Feb: inset day

Please Remember:



- To send in your child's home school book daily.
- To send in their PE kit clearly labelled.

PE

Moles will have PE on a Monday afternoon and a Tuesday morning.