



HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
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Dr Seuss



Year 2
Spring term 2013

Over the next few weeks, your child will be working on the topic of Dr Seuss

They will be taking part in a series of exciting activities:

- **Writing our own Dr Seuss rhyming verse**
- **Exploring the messages in the different stories**
- **Discovering ways to save the planet with the Lorax**
- **Looking at how our behaviour choices affect others with The Cat In The Hat**
- **Discovering the difference just one person can make with Horton and the Whos**
- **Looking at future aims and aspirations with Oh The Places You'll Go**

**Your child needs your help and involvement!
Please get involved by:**

- **Taking your child to the library to research The Dr Seuss books**
- **Watch Dr Seuss programmes on You Tube**
- **Explore rhymes in any books that you read**
- **Look at different ways that we can save the planet**

Sit down with your child and help them record what they know about the topics, BEFORE and then AFTER they have learnt about it at school.

What does your child know about Dr Seuss

Before the Topic...

After the Topic...

What else is happening?

Religious Education

Most of our teaching of religious education takes place in separate 'mini-topics'. This half-term, your child will be learning about Justice: Rights and Respect.

SEAL Time

Each half-term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (S.E.A.L). This half-term, we will be looking at the theme of Conflict Resolution

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a *daily* basis and are learning their times tables

Clubs

Breakfast Club	Every morning 8.00 – 8.50am
Skills 7 Football	Mondays 3.20 – 5.00pm
Family Learning	Tuesdays 9.00 – 10.30am
Credit Union	Tuesdays 3.15pm
Diamond Dolls	Tuesdays 3.20 – 4.15pm
Lower Building Games Library	Fridays 8.50 – 9.10am

Forthcoming Events

Monday 7 th January	INSET DAY
Wednesday 9 th January: 9-10am	Parent Forum
Monday 18 th to Friday 22 nd Feb	Half Term
Wednesday 6 th March	World Maths Day
Thursday 7 th March	World Book Day
w/c 18 th March	National Science & Engineering Week
Thursday 28 th March	Last day of term : 2.15pm finish