



Froebelian School  
Juniors' Weekly Newsletter  
Form II  
26<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Next week's ethos theme will be:

**We know how to be a good friend and enjoy healthy relationships**

Dear Parents

Form II have continued to have an excellent first half of the new term. I am delighted with how Form II uphold the school values.

In English this week, we have nearly finished all of our poems and the results have been fantastic. I have been impressed with the ideas the children have had and their interesting choice of language. I have been particularly pleased with those children who have used rhyming in their poems as this is not easy to do.

In our Maths lessons, we have continued to look at multiplication. The children have shown a good understanding of factor and factor pairs. I will continue to focus on problem solving questions, as this is the area which requires some consolidation. The scores in maths tests this week have been good and many children are showing some excellent improvement over the year.

The homework schedule will be as follows:

Monday – Maths

Tuesday – Maths

Wednesday – English

Thursday – French

Friday – Spellings and corrections

I will give children the new spellings on Monday so this can be completed any time during the week. Please listen to your child read for 10 to 15 minutes each week, and also ask them questions about what they are reading.

Reminder:

- Tuesday is football, please remember to bring football boots and shin pads.
- Thursday is swimming, please remember swimming kit.

**A note about Planners:**

Every Junior pupil has a Pupil Planner, which should be in school every day. The Pupil Planner serves as a crucial link in the home-school partnership, promoting collaboration between home and school. It allows you to stay informed about their homework, upcoming assessments, and any notes made by teachers. The planner also serves as the Reading Record book, and your child should record their daily reading in the designated space. The Daily Reflection is an opportunity for your child to think about what they have enjoyed or have not enjoyed about the day.

We are encouraging the children to play an active part in taking responsibility for their learning and their homework. Your child should be writing the homework in their planner every day, and should be responsible for bringing home the correct homework. Please ensure that you look at the planner and sign it over the weekend. There is a space for you to write a comment if you wish. The Planners will be checked on a Monday and up to four Dojos will be awarded for the planners. One each for Homework, Reading Record, Parent signature and Daily Reflection.

As always if you have anything you would like to chat about please email me at [m.mullis@froebelian.co.uk](mailto:m.mullis@froebelian.co.uk).

We hope you have a brilliant weekend.

Kind regards,

Mr Mullis and Mrs Jackson

**Calendar Dates –**

January	
Tues 30	U9 Netball Fixture V Moorlands (at home), 2.00 – 3.00pm
February	
Fri 2	Costume Sale (Hall), 8.00am & 3.30pm