



**Kedington
Primary
Academy**

Leopards' Class

Spring Newsletter

Happy New Year to all the Leopard families. We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and would like to say a massive thank you for all our kind cards, messages and gifts. We were thoroughly spoilt!

We have an exciting term ahead with lots to look forward to - some very exciting topics and learning opportunities, including our lower Key Stage 2 production. As always, if you or your Leopard have any questions or concerns, please do come speak to us, we'll be very pleased to help!

Mrs Masson, Mrs Harding and Mrs Bowers

What Are The Leopards Learning?

Literacy

In Literacy we will be analysing poems, writing our own meeting stories and persuasive texts.

It is an expectation that all children should read daily at home and have their book in school every day.

Maths

The areas we will be covering in Maths are: Securing Multiplication Facts, Fractions, Time, Decimals and Area and Perimeter.

Science

In Science we will be looking at: food chains, the human digestion system, identifying the different types and teeth and their functions and studying materials and their properties.

PE

Swimming has now ended and we are very proud of their swimming achievements. We will continue to have PE on a Tuesday afternoon and again on a Wednesday afternoon.

PLEASE make sure that the correct PE kit is in school on these days. ALL children need suitable kit for both inside and out and it needs to all be clearly named.

Parent Helpers

If you are able to come in and help listen to readers, or feel that you could offer learning opportunities to our class or a club for the school, please do get in touch. We love to invite parents in to work with us and it is a great opportunity for the pupils to learn from other people too.

Topic and our Production

Our topic this term is the 'Footprints From The Past'. We will be studying Dinosaurs and when and where they lived and how the Earth has changed during this time. We are very excited about our class production which we will be working on after half term.

Names and Water Bottles

Could we please ask that all items of school uniform, PE kit and coats are clearly named? Things do get mislaid and a name on items of clothing make it much easier for us to reunite them with their rightful owner. Named water bottles should be brought into school every day with fresh water too.

Dates for your diary.....

Tuesday 5 th February	-	3.30pm - Whitwell Hall Information Evening
Monday 18 th to Friday 22 nd February	-	Half Term
Tuesday 26 th and Thursday 28 th February	-	Parents' Evening
Tuesday 2 nd and Thursday 4 th April	-	Year 3 and 4 Performance
Friday 5 th April	-	End of term