

ROKEBY PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Friday 2nd February 2024

A note from Mrs Allan

We had a great day in school today for Numbers Day. The children took part in a range of hands on and creative activities, all number related.

Please can I remind parents that children need to be in school uniform everyday, unless they are in sports wear for PE. Black joggers and black trainers are fine, but we do require children to wear a white shirt and a red jumper.

Next week is the last week of this half term-it has come round very quickly.

Have a lovely weekend!

LUNAR NEW YEAR FESTIVAL 2024

For Warwickshire's residents to learn more about Hong Kong culture
Hong Kongers and the local community to meet and socialise together

Content: Performance, Game Booths, Exhibition, Bazaar, a taste of Chinese New Year food

Old Shire Hall - 5-9 Northgate St, Warwick CV34 4SP

24th February 2024

Session 1 : 10:30 - 13:00 (Registration: 10:00)

Session 2 : 14:00 - 16:30 (Registration: 13:30)

Please choose ONE session, MUST show ticket at reception

Please take ticket from [Eventbrite](#)
Any enquiry, please feel free to contact us at hongkongbno@warwickshire.gov.uk

Important Dates

12th-16th February—February Half Term

18th and 19th March—Parents Evening

25th March to 5th April—Easter Holidays

6th May—Public Bank Holiday, No School

Come in to Connect

Whole school attendance last week:
90.4%

Year 1 had the best attendance last week with 95.5%. Well done Year 1.



Morning Routines

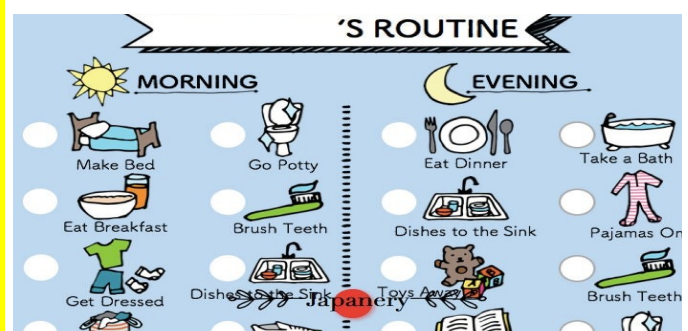
A morning routine helps children arrive at school ready to learn and play.

Think about what you need to achieve in the mornings. You can probably do many things the night before.

When you've worked out a morning routine, write it up and display it where everyone can see it.

Plenty of sleep, time and positive attention can help children cooperate with school morning routines.

Search online for downloadable resources to help with your routines at home. This helps children visualise what they have to do in the morning time before school.



Busy buccaneers!



There have been some very busy buccaneers in Nursery! Our pirate theme has provided lots of opportunities to play and learn. The children have enjoyed counting how many coins and gems they could find when panning for treasure in the sand tray. They have explored and discovered which of the pirate's booty they could pick up with a magnet. At the graphics area, the children have been developing their pencil hold and control whilst drawing pirate faces. At the creative area, they have been learning to select, join and shape materials to make paper plate pirates. The children have used their fine motor skills to play games such as Pop Up Pirate and to decorate wooden chests with small gems. They have even begun developing their early ICT skills and directional language by programming Beebot to reach different places on a treasure island map.

Shiver me timbers! What a lot of super learning, children!



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LATEST NEWS

Fire fighters visit to Year 1 at Rokeby



Today Year 1 had a visit from the Rugby Fire Fighters Service.

The children discussed safe and unsafe fires, fire alarms, winter water safety, sung a rhyme to keep safe around matches and other items that are unsafe to use as children, dress up in equipment, practise 'stop, drop and roll'. Finally going outside to hear and see a fire engine.



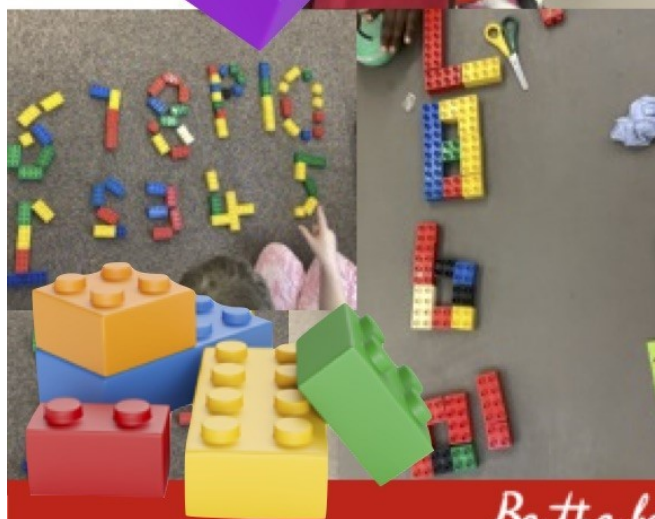
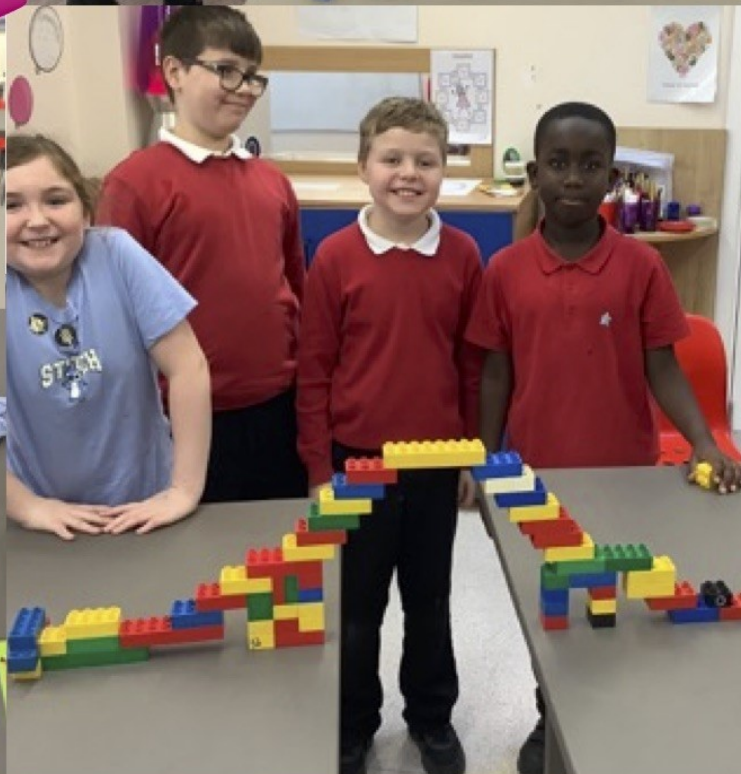
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Lego Club

We have started a **Lego Club**, on a Thursday, in nurture. The children have been really excited to join in. We are focusing on team work and our first week has been really successful! The children worked together to make a tower that hangs off the table, a bridge connecting two tables, a structure to hold a cup and have made numbers.

We are all really excited to do more next week.



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