



Learning for Life

Fawbert & Barnard's Primary School

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Dear Parents,

During this term your child will be studying the following theme:

Our Wonderful World

In English and Maths we will be:

- Revising our final few sounds in phase three of phonics (which most children are working within) and consolidating our learning
- Blending adjacent consonants at the beginning and end of words.
- Writing for a range of purposes, such as lists, labelling pictures, captions and information pages
- Develop our comprehension when completing reading activities
- Beginning to use punctuation in our writing
- Developing everyday language to talk about size, capacity and distance
- Counting in 2s, 5s and 10s
- Using the correct vocabulary for addition and subtraction in practical activities
- Doubling, halving and sharing different quantities.

If you would like to help your child in their study, you could undertake the following activities:

- Work on letter formation and independent spelling.
- Use key words such as take away, leaves, difference, less when discussing subtractions
- Use the flash cards sent home to make words for your child to read – ask your child to spell a word using the cards, first sounding out the word then adding the actions
- Look for and discuss the uses of capital letters and full stops
- Look out for high frequency words in the environment

We hope that this information will help you support your child's learning this term. Meanwhile if you have any further questions, or would like to know more, then please speak to me.

Thank you for your support,

Stacey Youngman
Class teacher