



WINGLE-TYE NEWS

Dear Parents,

Welcome Back! We hope you had a lovely Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all.

Our main topics for the period 09 January 2023 to 31 March 2023 are

DINOSAURS AND CAVEMEN CHINESE NEW YEAR

We shall also be eating pancakes on Shrove Tuesday, learning about Mother's Day and Easter.

During this term we will be experimenting with the properties of water, concentrating on our pencil control and discussing the importance of oral health. Chinese New Year will be covered during the end of January. It is the year of the Rabbit and we will be celebrating Chinese Traditions.

You may wish to talk about these topics with your child. Our suggested activities are:

- practice writing and drawing using a pencil/pen
- encouraging an awareness of cultural celebrations.
- experiment with water such as pouring, floating and sinking
- discuss the importance of oral health with your child and make an appointment for a checkup at the dentist

We are continuing to work with the children to take off and put on their own coats. This encourages independence.

We intend to hold an open event towards the end of term, for parents to view their children's work. Details to follow.

SPRING TERM DATES

09/01/2023 – 31/03/2023

Half term

13/02/2023 – 17/02/2023

30 hours funding

Don't forget if you are claiming 30 hours funding you have to **reconfirm** when sent an email from Childcare Choices. If you do not do this you will not be funded next term. If you wish to apply for 30 hours funding for the Summer Term, this must be completed by 31 March 2023.

Please ensure that all clothing, bags and lunch boxes are clearly named.

Signed: Karen Whitehouse

Date: January 2023