



Chestnut's News



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Continuing the learning journey...

On Monday 9th February (assuming it will not be icy or the event will be cancelled) we're inviting children to bring their bikes to school (scooters are fine too!) so they can practice important physical skills—like balance, coordination, and confidence—in a safe, supervised environment. Riding together also helps build independence and makes physical activity fun for the children. We will keep the bikes under the shelter in our garden area and ride around the playground throughout specific times during the day. All children will need to wear a safety helmet when cycling, we have a few spares.

THANK YOU PTFA!

The PTFA have kindly bought 4, brand new bicycles, with helmets, for Chestnut Class! The children are ever so excited to ride them, we are officially waiting until Monday to ride them but the children have been admiring them all week. I would like to say a special THANK YOU to Mr Fenton who sourced, organised the building of the bikes, picked them all up and hand delivered to our class!

Reading at Home

Reading at home helps build fluency and a love of reading. Children bring home a phonics book to practise and a sharing book to enjoy together. Please read with your child daily when possible (minimum three times a week).

Information for Families

Dates for your diary:

Monday 9th February - Bikes to school (Chestnut Class only).

Tuesday 10th February and Thursday 12th February - Parents evening.

Monday 16th - Friday 20th February
Half Term

Wednesday 4th March - Chestnut Class 'family learning' session (2-3pm).

Many thanks for your continued support,
Mrs Brill and Mrs Mount