



Class News

Welcome Everyone! We hope you have all had a wonderful Summer holiday and are ready for our first, busy term in Class Ireland. We are so excited to be able to work with you and your children and to continue the amazing work which takes place at Ancaster. It was lovely to see all of the children before the holidays and start to meet some of you. It is obvious how settled all the children are and the strong relationships they have with yourselves. We have every confidence that this will continue and the children will be excited by our topic of "Time Tunnel" and all the wonderful activities we will be doing. If you want to speak to any of us, myself or a member of the EYFS team are available on the playground each day and we are always eager to help with any queries.

Mrs Glendinning, Mrs Garriock and Miss Heslam (The Class Ireland team).

PE DAYS (Tues/Wed)

We will endeavour to be outside for as many PE lessons as possible, therefore the children will need jogging bottoms and sweatshirts, shower proof jacket and trainers. Please ensure your child has a **fully named** PE kit (indoor/outdoor) in school at all times.

Clothes and Underwear

We are always looking for donations of old clothes.

We recommend keeping a spare change of clothing in a named plastic bag in your child's locker for emergencies.

Communication

Remember to let us know if your child is being collected by someone other than yourself for security reasons.

Homework

Reading - it is important to read/share your child's book **every day**. Books are changed every other day (once they have been read twice). It must be recorded by an adult in the child's diary and then the book will be changed.

Once the children are fully settled into school routines, we will be sending home other learning activities.

Time Tunnel!

This term we are thinking about lots of activities based on history (in living memory). We have lots of great activities planned. The dates are on the Curriculum plan that has been sent out.

Our role play areas will include:

Superhero HQ

The Cottage

Santa's Grotto

Castle

Please let me know if you have any posters or resources that we could borrow.

As we come to the end of our first week (eek!) can I just say that ALL of the class have settled so well and are a credit to your families. Thank you.