

Elm's Newsletter


Spring 1 2026





Our team:


Mrs. Dowker and Miss Bzania are in Elm..
Mrs. Moorehouse is with us on Wednesday
and Friday. Miss. Meacham will teach in Elm
on Thursday morning.


What we are learning:


 **Maths** – we are learning to count in 2s and 5s
and create sequences. In fractions we will be
finding a half and quarter of a shape and
starting to tell the time.


 **English** – in Elm we will be learning phonics
daily. Learning to know the letter or letters
that make a sound and use this in our reading
and writing.

 **Science** – we are continuing our learning on
seasonal changes and what happens in winter.
Later in the half term we will start learning
about materials.

 **Geography** – we are learning about the
countries in the United Kingdom




 **DT** – we will be learning about joining textiles
to design, create and evaluate a puppet.

 **Social skills** – we will be revisiting our
learning for zones of regulation and our toolkits
that support us with big feelings. We will
continue to develop our growth mindset skills.

 **PE** – Superball Paul, a sports coach, continues
to work with us on a Wednesday afternoon.

Welcome back everyone!

Important Reminders

-  PE will be on a **Wednesday**,
please can children come dressed
in their PE kits (plain t-shirt,
joggers, and trainers).
-  Children should bring a refillable
water bottle.
-  Please check Dojo regularly as
important updates will be posted
on there, and you will receive
updates on your child's day.

Values:

Week 1 – Trust and Respect

Week 2 – Courage

Week 3 – Cooperation

Week 4 – Humility

Week 5 – Positivity

Week 6 – Tolerance & kindness

Children Mental Health Week



Home Reading Folders

We are getting to know your child and how we can best support them with their reading. Later this half term your child will have a home reading folders sent home daily; they will contain a reading book and a reading record. Please listen to your child read as much as possible