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## ROYAL BRITANNIA EDUCATION GROUP

This newsletter serves to keep you informed of the happenings at RB as well as to keep you up to date regarding any information that needs to be known.

We thrive to embolden, engage and empower our students and we would not be able to so without close communication with our biggest supporters, our parents.

## NEWS AND REMINDERS

Notes from Headteacher

School Information and

## CALENDAR UPCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 16, December

Brown Day

Winter Wonderland

**TERM BREAK** 19 Dec - 02 Jan

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

Notes from

Royal Britannia Health and Safety Officer

#### **ACADEMIC MATTERS**



What Am I Learning?

I am working on...



**CURRICULUM** 

We follow the Early Years Foundation Stage of the British National Curriculum



TERM THEME

CARING FOR PLANET EARTH

#### **NEWS AND REMINDERS**

#### **WINTER BREAK**

**SUNDAY 19th December** 

TO

**Sunday 2nd January** 

(Inclusive)

#### TERM 3

Monday 3rd January to Thursday 24th February (inclusive)



Please note that school times are:

07:45 am - 12:45 pm

During school term time, punctuality ensures that students don't miss any part of the lesson.

Due to COVID-19 restrictions, students are collected from entrance gate and guided to classrooms by a member of RB staff.

Parents/guardians are not allowed inside without an appointment and COVID-19 vaccination certificate.



#### **SCHOOL UNIFORM**

All students must wear the correct uniform:

Medium Blue denim pants with Light Blue polo style shirt from Marks and Spencers. The Royal Blue jumper/sweater must have NO patterns or designs.



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#### **KD DAYS**

Please continue supporting our 1 KD days **every Thursday**!!! Yes, A little goes a long way, a little more goes further.

#### **MAKING AN IMPACT GLOBALLY**

At RB we align ourselves with the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) through our curriculum and teachings. In order to make an impact on a global scale and help in supporting the SDGs, we have joined B1G1. We will be dedicating each term to a minimum 4 SDGs through B1G1. Not only will we be creating awareness through lessons at school but we will be contributing the contributions we have been collecting every Thursday to various initiatives around the world.

#### **B1G1** Initiatives

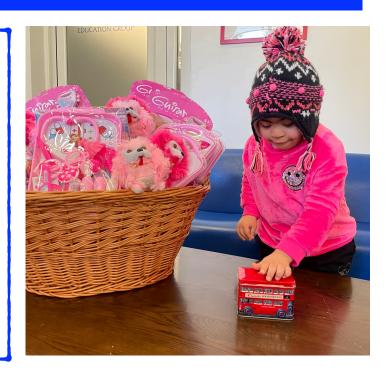
- SDGs: Educate a Child With Special Needs (Nepal).
   Help a child with disabilities to blossom by giving him or her access to a special needs education for one day.
   US 0.40 per day = 120 fils per impact
- SDGs: Provide Clean Drinking Water For Underprivileged Children (India)
   Save The Children India through its programs provides potable drinking water for children.
   US 0.33 per day = 99 fils per impact

#### THE GIFT OF GIVING

Five reasons to encore a child to donate to charity:

- Giving instills the value trait of EMPATHY
- Charity work produces GRATEFUL children
- Donating encourages the child's PASSION
- Donating teaches basic math and money MANAGEMENT SKILLS

B1G1 'Change the World With Us'



#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Thursday 16, December

#### Winter Wonderland

Kindly allow your child to wear his/her **favourite costume** on **Thursday 16/12** 



#### **ACADEMIC MATTERS**

#### I'M LEARNING TO...

**THEME: Caring for Planet** 

Earth

Looking after our resources

#### **LITERACY**

**Letter/Sound:** Group 1/2: **C, c** Recognise, say and write letters/ sounds s,a,t,i,p,n, **c** 

Vocabulary: cat, carrot, car, cup,

can, cut

**HFW:** to - I go to school. I go home, I go to swim, Mum and dad go to work,...

#### WRITING/READING

Letter recognition
Letter position
Beginning sound, ending sound.
Blending/Segmenting CVC words
Short sentences

#### **PRE-WRITING**

Eye-hand coordination activities

#### PHYSICAL & HEALTH

Handles and turn pages in a book. Pouring water jug to jug, jug to glass.

#### **NUMERACY**

**Colour: Pink** 

Explores what happens when they mix colours (red + white = pink)

Shape: Diamond

#### **Numbers:**

- Identify, represent, order and write numbers 1 to 9
- Number value
- Rote counting to 50

**Concept:** beginning to demonstrate an understanding of volume, size and measurement.

### PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- \*Signals when interaction should stop.
- Begins to independently use selfcalming strategies.
- \*Take comfort in familiar objects
- Frequently asserts 'no' to control the environment and expresses opinion.



## A Wonderful Environment Where Children Can Learn and Grow



#### MUSIC: SOUNDTRACK TO YOUR CHILD DEVELOPMENT

We've always known that music has a powerful, transformative and unifying effect on people. But only now do we know that music contributes to better memory and cognitive skills.

This is because listening to, and playing music, produce\_changes in the brain. Also, both activities can release a healthy dose of endorphins, the so-called 'happiness hormone.'

The benefits of music for your child

When young children are exposed to music, their brains change. Among other benefits, music can:

- Improve moods and empower young children by reducing stress levels. Even listening to sad music can be good thanks to its cathartic power, making it easier for children to get in touch with their emotions.
- Stimulate the formation of brain chemicals such as dopamine and oxytocin. When these are released, children are encouraged to share toys, empathize and trust others.
- Boost concentration skills and productivity.
- Improve learning and grades.
- Develop spatial intelligence laying the ground for an interest in mathematics, engineering, computer science and architecture.
- Improve vocabulary and creativity.

The benefits of music can be experienced in many forms. Listen to a song, play an instrument or pick up anything that's in the classroom or at home and make music with it! Now that we know the science of music, it's time to put a soundtrack to children's early years.

(unicef.org)

#### **HEALTH AND SAFETY**

#### How can I protect myself and my family against the Omicron variant?

The most important thing you can do is reduce your risk of exposure to the virus. To protect yourself and your loves ones:

- Wear a mask that covers your nose and mouth. Make sure that your hands are clean when you put and remove your mask.
- Keep a physical distance of at least 1 metre from others.
- Avoid poor ventilated or crowded spaces.
- Open windows to improve ventilation indoors.
- Wash your hands regularly.
- When it's your turn, get vaccinated. WHO-approved COVID-19 vaccines are safe and effective.

https://www.unicef.org/coronavirus/what-we-know-about-omicron-variant

#### **HAVE A WONDERFUL HOLIDAYS!!!!**



#### WATER BOTTLES

Keeping hydrated is extremely important. Kindly send your child/ children with a water bottle to school every day. Water bottles are easier to take to different classes and make for easy refilling when needed.

**THANK YOU!!!** 

#### **SICK STUDENTS**

Out common courtesy for others, please DO NOT send your child to school if sick. We will immediately send children home who are unwell.

KINDLY PROVIDE WITH A DOCTOR CERTIFICATE ON RETURN TO SCHOOL.

And reminder to kindly check your child/ children's nails to ensure that they are clean and short length for school.



## **RB GALLERY**









## You Are Capable of Anything You Set Your Mind To'







