St Benedict's Primary Schoo



Memory Box

Inclusion Hub Curriculum Newsletter

Can you remember being small? Being a baby and learning to crawl? Do you recall a favourite toy, maybe a teddy bear or a favourite book? Look back at family photos of special occasions, perhaps holiday snapshots or a birthday or two. Remember a wedding or a christening and find a funny photo of your parents when they were young. Learn how to write a diary of days gone by and find out about the days before you were born: it's called history and it's all about the past. Then make a special box, a memory box, to keep special things safe. In years to come, you can revisit them and remember how you looked when you were young. Memories are special. Let's make some more.

ILP focus	History
English	Recounts; Diaries; Rhymes and mnemonics; Descriptions; Information texts
Mathematics	Numbers to 100, Place value, addition and subtraction
Art & design	Drawing; Painting; Collage; Family portraits
Computing	Basic skills; We are programmers
D&T	Making picnic foods; Celebration cards; Making a memory box
Geography	Fieldwork in the local area
History	Changes within living memory
PE	Dance; Traditional games
PSHE	Caring for babies and toddlers; Sharing memories; Playing and working cooperatively; Feeling positive
Science	Animals, including humans; Working scientifically
Music	Songs that help us remember; Writing a class song

Help your child prepare for their project

Teach children about changes over time, family and community. This project develops children's knowledge and appreciation of local history, special memories, customs and traditions, and growing up. Linked text: Owl Babies – Martin Waddell

Inclusion Hub notices:

A big well done from all the staff in the Inclusion Hub to the children for settling back in so well.

As the weather is now turning colder, please make sure your children bring in their coats, which should be clearly labelled.

Please remember to send your child in **P.E kit on Thursdays**. Your child should wear a red t-shirt underneath their normal school jumper, black jogging bottoms, shorts or leggings and black trainers/pumps.

Homework can be found Google classroom, times table practise on TT Rock stars and reading on Bug Club (all log ins have been sent home).

Remember to send a water bottle into school with your child.