

Parent Information

Mrs Borrett Year 5 Spring Term 2010



Our topic this term will answer the question:

Does money grow on trees?

The cross curricular theme will involve work related to personal finance and aims develop your child's financial awareness and financial capability.

This will involve a range of activities related to the following:

- What does money mean?
- Safe places for money
- Ways of spending and saving money
- Needs and wants
- Design and make a money container
- Holiday money
- Charity work eg Oxfam

Additionally, your child will organise an enterprise activity to raise money for their London trip in June.

You can help by talking to your child about:

- money at home eg bills, shopping lists, best buys
- credit and debit cards
- bank accounts
- types of currency
- counting and calculating with money

There will be a Golden Moment planned for your child related to this topic. This will involve working with bank officials in school and then visiting their place of work.

In Literacy, work will link to the money theme and will cover traditional stories, poetry and letter writing.

In Numeracy, the focus is on learning number facts and times tables, facts that are vital for your child to make progress. Please support your child with this together with their weekly homework.