

Chinese New Year

Chinese New Year 2021 will fall on Friday, February 12th, 2021.

2021 is the Chinese year of the Ox.

To find out how and why the years were named after animals read the story called Chinese New Year.



To find out the name of the year you were born in see the zodiac poster.

In school, we will be making lanterns and dragons. There are instructions on how to make a lantern and dragon on the website, so you can have a go at home.

We will also be making and eating a stir fry. All children will get a chance to chop up some of the vegetables to put in our stir fry. Vegetables like spring onions and peppers are good to start with as they don't require much force to cut them.

Practising using a knife to chop up the vegetables is a skill we teach in school, as children need to know how to use tools safely. We also teach the children the importance of keeping their hands and the food preparation surfaces clean and how to tidy up.

Here is a link to a recipe you could try at home:

https://www.bbc.co.uk/food/recipes/easy_chow_mein_for_kids_81406

You can use any vegetables you have in and when we make this in school we use the ready cooked noodles. We also encourage the children to have a go at using chopsticks to eat what they have made, before they use a fork.



We hope you enjoy the activities and we are looking forward to hearing and seeing all you have done when you post your pictures and comments on Class Dojo.

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