



KS1

Modern languages

In modern languages we will be learning to speak in French. We will learn how to count and write numbers. Then we will learn how to say some animal names.

Physical Education

In PE we will be learning to master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination, and begin to apply these in a range of activities participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending perform dances using simple movement patterns.

Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHCE)

Feelings, friends and friendship.

Healthy living.

Philosophy for Children (P4C)

This term the children will all take part in P4C lessons which will allow children to develop their speaking and listening skills as well as their critical and creative thinking. The sessions are child led however, the sessions have a stimulus to aid discussion. This term we will be looking at: Fundraising – Is it right to fundraise? Should animals be in a zoo? Is it a pet or a wild animal? Fireworks – Good or bad?

We hope you find this information useful and that it may help you have a better understanding of what your children may tell you about their time in school.

Mission Statement

We put children at the heart of everything we do

Dear Parent,
Welcome back. This information leaflet is to inform you of the curriculum that we will be teaching to your children this term. Our topic this term is 'Fur, Feathers and Skin'

We ask that you try to hear your child read regularly, continue to practise Maths passports and further your child's learning with My Maths challenges and Active learning. Please visit our website and your child's class story on dojo's regularly to see some of the amazing learning your child is involved in. Please call and speak to your child's class teacher if you have any questions.

Thank you,
Miss Brown and Miss Pepper. (Y1 & Y2 Teachers)

Dates for your diary:

20/9/19 - Visit to Yorkshire Wildlife Park

6/11/19 - Making bird feeders (am) - parents invited

13/11/19 - Walk to park to take bird feeders (am) - parents invited

More dates and events to follow.

English (Literacy) and Mathematics

In Literacy this term our learning will be using many stories to support our learning including: Pete's Peculiar pet shop, The Giraffe, the Pelly and me and Meerkat mail. We will be writing setting descriptions from the stories as well as character descriptions, poetry and information about different types of animals using our own research from our visit to Yorkshire Wildlife Park. We will also be writing instructions on how to make a bird feeder which we hope you will enjoy getting involved with.

In Numeracy we will look at numbers, number names, value of numbers, counting, sequencing, money, adding and subtracting, multiplication and division, fractions and shapes. We will also be looking at measures including length, height, weight, capacity and time.

Geography/History

In Geography we will be comparing different places around the world and identifying hot and cold countries. We will continue with some map work to enable us to get to know the continents and oceans in our world. Whilst doing this we will be finding out about the different animals that live around the world.

In history we will be learning about the history of bonfire night. We will then go on to learn about Charles Darwin including who he is, what he did and why he is important to the world we live in today.

Science

This term we will be learning about animals. We will learn about the different types of animals and how and where they live. We will learn to group and compare different animals and identify the best habitats to enable these animals to live and survive in our world. We will also learn about what the animals eat including food chains.

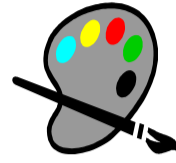
Information and Communications Technology (ICT)

This term children will learn about E-Safety as well as using programmes such as Purple Mash and Comic Life to support our learning across the curriculum.

Design Technology

We will be using materials to design and make a bird feeder to be used by the birds around our local area. This will be an ongoing project with regular visits to feed the birds - we hope you will be able to support us with this project.

We will also be designing and making pet hampers to give to pet shelters. Any donations will be much appreciated.



Art

In Art children will be creating some amazing animal art work using different media.

We will be looking at the work of 'Jackson Pollock' for inspiration.

Music

We will be listening to and discussing music as well as learning to use musical instruments to create our own.

We will then learn our Christmas Nativity songs for our performances - Wednesday 11th December (am and pm).

Religious Education

In Religious Education we will learn about belonging to a community and the different ways in which people celebrate around the world.