

Class Newsletter

Spring Term



MATHS

In maths this term...

We will begin by introducing Algebra, then we will look at understanding decimals and carrying out the 4 operations using them. After that, we will look at how they relate to fractions & percentages. Then we will revise area, perimeter and volume. Throughout the term we will continue to practise our arithmetic skills.

READING

In reading this term...

We will continue to develop our retrieval, inference and explanation skills using texts on a variety of subjects. These will include texts on Chinese New Year, Children's Mental Health Week and National Story-telling Week



WRITING

In writing this term...

In the first half term we will have a grammar focus on semi-colons, colons and the use of the subjunctive form and practise applying these to a news report. After half term, we will look at using commas and hyphens to avoid ambiguity before we work on our descriptive writing skills.

WIDER CURRICULUM

In the wider curriculum this term...

In Science, we will look at Evolution & Inheritance before a topic on Electricity. Our History topics this term will be the World Wars. In Geography we will focus on how trade has changed in Leicestershire over time before we carry out a study on the cities of London and Berlin. In Art we will study Modernism: understanding its history and applying some techniques.

THINGS TO REMEMBER....

PE Kits should come in on a Monday and go home on a Friday. Our PE days this term are still Mondays and Friday.

Homework will be set weekly on a Tuesday to be handed in on a Monday.

It is important the children continue to read regularly and we will check Reading Records on a Tuesday.

Dojo- Dojo cannot be checked regularly throughout the day due to me teaching. If you have anything you would like to discuss urgently, please ring the office or speak to me at the end of the day.