

English

Read write Inc

The children will focus on reading in groups (guided reading), they will recap all phonic sets 1, 2 & 3 to enhance more vocabulary. This term's focus for RWI is to read real and alien words as well progressing in the level of comprehension.

Reading & Writing

The main focus for this term is writing. The children will focus on cursive writing and start to write paragraphs. Our ongoing objectives will still be focusing on punctuation, word reading sentence structure and pronouns.

Grammar

The children will be introduced to the world of suffixes (ing, ed, er, est). They will understand putting an ending on a word will change its meaning. Also know about the present and past tense.

Home Challenges:

Home challenge will be related to the subjects chosen, Explorers and adventures. To improve the children's vocabulary and knowledge of the stories being told, we'll add comprehension tasks along with spelling and grammar. Worksheets and tasks in math will be provided for them to try at home. In order to test their creativity and find answers to questions related to it, the children will also do projects for science and world studies.

Science: The children will learn all about plants and learn about parts and functions of a plant, they will also look at insects the last animal classification they will learn this term. To end the term the children will learn about weather conditions. They will be learning about Seasonal changes by discussing the four seasons, what to wear and where to go during the change of weather. We will also discover why some countries are hotter than others. Children will learn about Climate change and how it affects our planet. Finally children will learn about pollution, what causes it and what we can do to help our planet.

World Studies: Children will learn all about James Cook, a famous explorer. Recap The Arctic and Antarctic, know their location and learn about their habitats. Discover James Cook's voyage and learn about his timeline and how long it took him to discover Antarctic. In the second half of this term, children will learn the geography of islands, what is an island, how they are formed and its physical features. Children will study the life of people living on islands and in the end of the topic the children will design an island out of clay.

SEAL

1. Continue the theme 'Relationships'.
2. 'Getting on and falling out': Children will think about how to look and sound friendly, and consider the qualities we look for and need to develop in order to have and be a good friend. They will also explore some reasons why friends fall out and how to work well in a group.
3. 'Changes': This theme tackles the issue of change and aims to equip children with an understanding of different types of change, positive and negative, and common human responses to it. The theme seeks to develop children's ability to understand and manage the feelings associated with change.

Maths

Measures

Focus on weight and capacity, comparing and using uniform non-standard units to measure both; information is recorded in block graphs for ease and clarity.

Fractions; money

Focus on doubling and halving numbers, and recognizing halves and quarters of shapes; and on recognizing coins and solving money problems.

Multiplication and division

Focus on identifying patterns in multiples of 2, 5 and 10, and relating counting in 2s to doubling and halving.

Time; measures; 2D shapes

Focus on telling the time to the quarter hour; on measuring length, recording information in pictograms and block graphs; and on repeating patterns using 2D shapes.

Addition and subtraction

Focus on using number facts to solve additions and subtractions involving 1- and 2-digit numbers and finding change.

Place value; multiplication

Focus on consolidating understanding of 2-digit numbers; and on exploring patterns in multiples of 2, 5 and 10.

Art

Students will make paintings using oil pastels, create their own island and design their own T-shirt summer design.

ICT

Students will continue to work on a program called Kidpix it's a drawing and animation program designed for children.

Music

The students will learn about how music and sounds are used in the cinema and explore how they can be made using voice, instruments and objects.

Physical Education

Students will learn and practice swimming. They will learn the basic skills for swimming.