The Roebuck Primary School
Curriculum Overview – Autumn 1



Welcome to your new class 😊! If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to get in touch via Class Dojo and we will get back to you as soon as possible. Miss Aucutt and Miss Helm ☺.



Beech Class

History

In History this half term we will be exploring the stone Age, looking closely at what life was like during that time period and how it changed as it progressed into the Bronze Age



Art

In Art this half term we will be exploring the wonderful winter work created by artist Vincent Van Gogh. We will evaluate his work then create our own artwork inspired by his 'Landscape in the Snow'.



Mathematics

We will start our year looking at simple addition and subtraction before moving onto place value; understanding numbers up to 1,000. Recognising the value of each digit and different ways to partition them.
Times Tables are very important. Please practise these everyday using Times Table Rock Stars.

Literacy

In our Literacy lessons, we will explore the story. The Treasures of the Loch Ness Monster. We will explore the beautiful illustrations within the text inferring the characters thoughts and feelings, before writing our own version of it. After this, we will move into non-fiction writing creating a newspaper report based on a sighting of the Loch Ness monster.

Spelling – This year will be starting our new spelling journey using Grammarsaurus really diving deeper into the meaning and morphology of words in order to help us to understand how to spell them.
Please play the online games through Grammarsaurus.com as well as any activities that are send home.

Homework – Children can complete the tasks in any order and either bring in their creations when they have completed a task or upload a photo to Class Dojo.

Reading books need to be brought back in to school every day. Make sure you are ***reading at home at least 3 times per week***.

Physical Education

This half term our PE sessions take place on **Thursday** mornings. Full PE kits should be worn all day on this day. That includes the red PE t-shirt, black shorts and jogging bottoms, school jumper and pumps.

Computing

We will learn how to TouchType using a range of different games and challenges.



Science

In science, the focus will be on electricity. We will learn about electrical appliances before completing different circuits in an attempt to make a bulb light up. Using different enquiry skills we will investigate a range of circuits and even try to create one with no wires!

