

Curriculum Newsletter to Parents Autumn 1 2023

English

Your child's English topic is based around the text Old Bear by Jane Hissey. They will learn how to:

- Write a finding narrative and a message.
- Use capital letters at the start of sentences.
- Use a full stop at the end of sentences.
- Form letter correctly.
- Read and answer questions in Shared Reading around history.

Homework / Home Learning

Your child should:

- Bring a new reading for pleasure book home every Friday
- Bring a paper phonics book home every Friday.

Maths

Your child's Maths topics are place value within 10 and addition and subtraction within 10. Your child will:

- Sort and count objects to 10.
- Recognise numbers as words.
- Count on from any number within 10.
- Count backwards within 10.
- Identify 1 more and 1 less within 10.

Science

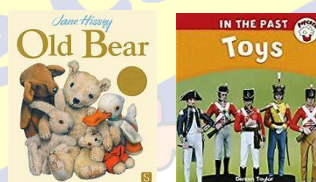
Your child's Science topic is My Body. Your child will:

- Identify and name basic parts of the human body.
- Identify the 5 senses and the associated body part.
- Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals.

Questions to Ask

Can you count to 10 forwards and backwards?

Books We Are Reading



The Arts and Technology (Music, Art, DT, Computing)

Your child's DT topic is sliders and levers. They will explore and evaluate every day products that have moving parts. They will design, make and evaluate their own moving poster using sliders and levers.

You child will explore different types of technology in Computing this term. They will investigate different types of technology and how we use technology in our day to day lives.

Humanities (History, Geography, RE, PSHE)

In Geography, your child will be learning about Living in Cities. We will look at what it's like to live in a city and what we can see in a city.

In History, your child will learn about Queen Elizabeth II. These will include learning about Queen Elizabeth's childhood and her role in the blitz.

In R.E your child will be studying Christianity. We will be looking at what it means to be a Christian and how they celebrate Christianity.

In PSHE your child will be studying 'Being Me.' We will discuss what makes us feel safe and special.

PE, including what day PE kit is required:

Your child's PE topic is Throwing and Catching. Your child should wear their PE kit to school every Wednesday.

Your child will:

- Take part in gym sessions focusing on throwing and catching.

Please visit our website where you will find more information on our class page

