

Curriculum Newsletter to Parents Autumn 2 2023

English

Your child's English topic is based around the text 'Rapunzel' by Bethan Woollvin. Your child will:

- write a traditional tale narrative and a set of instructions.
- use a capital letter at the start of a sentence.
- use a full stop at the end of a sentence.
- form letters correctly.
- take part in daily sentence accuracy lessons. This is to practise the skills required to form accurate and cohesive sentences
- read and answer questions in Shared Reading lessons.

Homework / Home Learning

Your child should:

- Read their decodable phonics book daily
- Read for pleasure with an adult

Both Reading for Pleasure and phonics books are changed every Friday.

- Access NumBots at least three times a week

All children have been given their login details to access NumBots online.

Useful Links:

NumBots- [NumBots](#) | [Motivational maths practice for schools](#)

Maths

Your child's Maths topics are geometry and consolidation of addition and subtraction within 10. Your child will:

- recognise and name 3-D shapes
- sort 3-D shapes
- recognise and name 2-D shapes
- recognise patterns with 2-D and 3-D shapes
- add numbers within 10
- subtract numbers within 10

Science

Your child's Science topic is Materials. Your child will:

- Distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made
- Identify and name a variety of everyday materials
- Describe the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials.

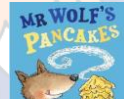
Questions to Ask

Can you name a 3D shape?

How have schools changed over time?

What might you see in the countryside?

Books We Are Reading



Humanities (History, Geography, RE, PSHE)

- Your child's Geography topic is Living in the Countryside. Your child will learn about what it's like living in the countryside and what we can see in the countryside.
- Your child's History topic is the Recent Past of Our Community and Family. Your child will learn about what life was like for their families growing up and how schools have changed over time.
- Your child's PSHE topic is Celebrating Difference. Within this topic, your child will identify similarities and differences with their peers.
- In RE your child will learn about how and why we celebrate special and sacred times.

PE, including what day PE kit is required:

Your child's PE topic is Partner Games. Your child should come dressed in their P.E. kit every Monday. Your child will:

- Work collaboratively with a partner
- Use a range of small equipment
- Throw to a partner with developing accuracy
- Mirror a partner's movements
- Listen and observe

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

Your child will take part in an Art day with a specialist art teacher this half term. Details of this day will be sent out to parents.

Your child will learn two songs this half term-
Rhythm in the Way We Walk
Banana Rap

Computing- Your child will be learning about creating media using digital painting

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

