



PE Kit

Yellow PE T-shirt. black shorts, trainers

Jogging bottoms and jumpers when weather is colder

PE lessons are on Mondays and Tuesdays

PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL YOUR CHILD'S UNIFORM IS CLEARLY MARKED WITH THEIR NAME.

Jewellery – The children are allowed to wear a watch and, if they have their ears pierced, one pair of small stud earrings which must be removed for PE No other jewellery

Home learning

Reading Your child is expected to read at least 5 times a week, though daily reading would be beneficial. Please make a note in your child's diary, whenever you share a book. Please make sure they bring the diary to school daily. Each class is running a reading race which will be checked weekly. Provided there is evidence in the reading diary that your child has read 5 times to an adult that week they will move along the reading race. When they reach the finish line they will be rewarded with a book.

Spellings We will be sending home a list of words for your child to practise reading and writing from memory. Spelling tests will take place on a Wednesday and new spellings will be sent home that afternoon. We will support their work on these words in school and will look for accurate spelling of these in their writing.

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Curriculum Information

Ocean/Year Two

Autumn Term

English

Our English topic for this term is 'The Ocean'. We will be finding out about animals that live in the sea and writing fact files. After half term we will be looking at creative writing based on the book 'Commotion in the ocean'. Throughout the term we will be working on our spelling and handwriting.

How you can help at home:

Reading eggs & reading daily.
particular interests.

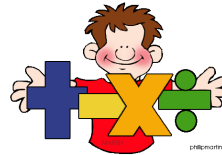


Maths

This term we will be concentrating on ordering numbers, addition and subtraction. We will also look at 2D and 3D shapes. Later on in the term we will be recognising and using coins and money in practical situations.

How you can help at home:

Please practise counting forwards and backwards to 30. Mathematics is another useful way of supporting your child's learning.



Science

Materials and their properties. This term we will be investigating the properties of different materials and how objects are made from materials that suit their purpose.

How you can help at home:

Question how things work and why items are made from particular materials.

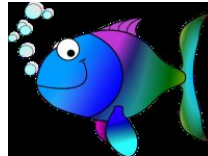


FPS Values / PSCH

This half term we will be beginning the new year by learning about respect and responsibilities. How can we show respect to others and be a responsible member of our community.

How you can help at home: Discuss positive things from the day and help me talk about my feelings.

Ocean centre



TOPIC- Geography

We will be looking at our class countries and learning all about their traditions, people, weather, animals and comparing them to the UK. After half term we will be developing our map reading skills and applying them to creating our own local maps.

How you can help at home:

Look at atlases and Google Earth.
Find non-fiction books about our class countries:
Netherlands
Iceland
Sweden



Art and DT

We will be experimenting and using variety of art and craft resources, whilst exploring texture, colour, shape form and space, all links to our English, Science and Geography topics.



Computing

Developing our keyboard skills, navigation around the school system and familiarity with school programs. We will learn to save and reopen documents.



RE

Christianity— What is prayer? Why is the Bible important? We will be learning about when, why and how different people pray. Also, we will share the story of Christmas and it's importance.

How you can help at home:

Share Bible stories.



Music

Exploring pitch, dynamics, tempo and timbre using tuned and untuned instruments, our voices and instruments we make.

How you can help at home:

Help to keep a steady beat.
Learn Harvest and Christmas songs



PE

The term in PE, we will be developing our skills in gymnastics and dance. Our outdoor lessons will focus on games skills and team work.

How you can help at home:

Improve catching and throwing, kicking and stopping skills.
Remember PE kits too!

