

PE Kit

Yellow PE T-shirt. Black shorts and trainers.
Jogging bottoms and jumpers when weather is colder.

PE lessons are on Wednesday and Friday.

Please make sure all your child's uniform and shoes are clearly marked with their name.

Jewellery

Earrings must be removed for PE. Plasters are not allowed to be used to cover earrings during PE, so if your child is unable to remove them on their own please remove them before school.



Home learning

Maths and English homework will be set on Monday and should be handed in on Friday.

Spellings will be tested on a Friday.

Your child should read every day. Reading will be celebrated every week and the children will move on their class Reading Race.

Your child should work on Mathletics and Reading Eggs at home.

We all follow the same three school rules:

1. We respect all members of the community
2. We follow instructions
3. We use our hands, feet and other objects in a kind way.

Furzefield Primary School



Curriculum Information

Ocean Centre /

Year Four

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:

Please support your child with spellings and reading, it really will make a difference! Read a variety of texts together regularly. You can also support your child with Reading Eggs and visiting the library to develop their 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

Electricity

The children will be identifying appliances that run on electricity, constructing circuits, recognising some common conductors and insulators and begin to use switches.

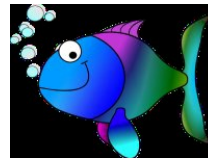
States of Matter

The children will be comparing and grouping materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases. They will also be completing several investigations about temperature.



How you can help at home:

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PE

PE topics are on a rotation because of the swimming lessons offered in Year 4. The main topics are: gymnastics and fitness with a focus on strength, stamina, and speed.



How you can help at home:

Topic learning

We will be covering a variety of themes through learning about our class country. These include; locating other countries, looking at rivers, mountains, rain forest and other human and physical features.



How you can help at home: Investigate maps together.

Computing

We will revisit issues of e-safety at regular occasions. We are becoming co-authors this term and learning basic coding. We will be planning the content for a wiki, using Wikipedia to find information and creating a class wiki.



How you can help at home: Discuss e-safety.

RE

We will be learning about Judaism and Christianity. Our learning in RE will also support the special events of the Harvest Assembly and the Christmas Carol Concert.

How you can help at home:

Music

We will be following the Surrey Arts scheme of work, playing the recorder and learning and rehearsing songs for our Harvest Assembly and our Christmas Carol Concert as a year group.



How you can help at home:

Support your child to learn our songs and come along to our per-