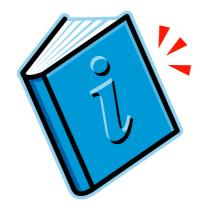


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CURRICULUM INFORMATION



Lower Key Stage Two Spring Term 2008

What are we learning about this term?

ENGLISH

Narrative: Non-fiction:

YEAR 3 Adventure and Mystery stories Instructions

Performing Poems

YEAR 4 Stories from other cultures Information Texts

Exploring form in poetry

MATHEMATICS

• Counting, partitioning and calculating

- Securing number facts, understanding shape
- Securing number facts, relationships and calculating

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SCIENCE

Magnets

This unit gives children experience of forces, including attraction and repulsion between magnets. They learn that these forces have direction and can vary in size. They also learn which materials are attracted to magnets.

Keeping Warm

Through this unit children build on their ideas about temperature as a measure of how hot or cold objects are and learn about thermal insulators as materials which can help to keep things warm or cool.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We will be learning about 'Inspirational People' and 'Creation'.

INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (ICT)

The children will be using their word processing skills to improve and enhance their writing.

HISTORY

None this term

GEOGRAPHY

Village Settlers

Pupils will learn how settlements develop over time.

MUSIC

Pupils will explore painting with sounds!

ART AND DESIGN

Portraying relationships

Pupils investigate how paintings communicate ideas about relationships.

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

Picture frames

Pupils design and make a frame for a picture or photograph.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Hornbeam - <u>Football and Games</u> Hawthorn & Hazel - <u>Gymnastics and Dance</u>

What else is happening?

SEAL Time

Each term, we focus on a particular aspect of Social & Emotional Aspects of Learning (SEAL)

This term, we will be looking at the themes of 'GOING FOR GOALS' and 'GOOD TO BE ME'.

Homework

Please support your child by making sure that they read on a daily basis. Feel free to make comments in their yellow reading record books.

MONDAY	
TUESDAY	Deadline for handing in all homework
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	Homework set (Latest day)

Clubs

Computer Club	Tuesday Lunchtime
Sewing Club	Monday Lunchtime
Knitting Club	Wednesday Lunchtime
Gymnastics Club	Friday 4.15pm – 5.00pm

Forthcoming Events

Week beginning 4 th February	Assessment Week
3 rd /5 th March	Parent Consultations
6 th March	World Book Day
Week beginning 10 th March	Science Week
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