

Class routines:

Reading books

Please read with your child where possible, even if it is for a few minutes. Remember our book change day is Monday but send your child in with their reading pack each day. Do not forget to initial their reading grid.

Spellings

As usual they will be sent out on a Friday and tested on a Friday – I have put some ways of practicing on our class page on the website.

Mathematics:

This half-term all pupils will continue to develop their knowledge on addition and subtraction. Previously we have looked at adding and subtracting a one-digit number to a two-digit number, but we will be developing our skills further to add and subtract two two-digit numbers. We will be looking at strategies to help us solve questions where we may need to add or subtract across a tens boundary.

English:

We have a busy half-term in English with there being three parts to our learning. First, we will be exploring the book 'The Ugly 5' by Julia Donaldson where children will be creating some character descriptions using noun phrases. Secondly, we will be looking at features of a non-chronological report based on animals we might see at the zoo before creating our own report. Finally, we will be doing a recount of our time at the zoo to share our experience with others.

Music:

This half-term our musical focus is beat, ostinato (repeated rhythm) and pitched and unpitched patterns. We will be practicing a chant and creating a simple ostinato.

Computing:

This half-term children move on to computer science. We will create simple instructions on a computer and use code to create a computer program.

History

In History we will be looking at significant historical events linked to our locality. We will be learning about the first RAF jet-powered bomber which was designed and built at Preston BAE in 1949.

Science:

In Science we will be identifying a variety of common wild and garden plants and describing their structures. We will be classifying plants and observing them over time.

PSHCE:

This half-term our topic is health and wellbeing. We will be extending our knowledge on ways to keep safe such as fitness, healthy eating, mental health and our lifestyle choices.

Art

We will be looking at the work of Matisse to help inspire us to create a piece of artwork through collaging.

PE:

This half-term our PE day is **Monday**. We will look to master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination. We will focus on working as part of a team.



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