Class Curriculum Information



Year 1/2 Spring Term 2







Wriggle and Crawl

CLASS NOTICES

Class Text

Our class text is 'It Fell From the Sky' by Eric Fan.

Reading

The children will read for at least 10 minutes every day in school and we hope parents will do the same at home. The children will have a levelled reader that will be changed on a Friday. They will also have a reading for pleasure book that they can change whenever they wish. Both can be commented on in their reading diary.

PE

PE will take place on Monday (1/2HJ) and Monday & Thursday (1/2CE) and Monday & Friday (1/2 CS). Please remember our PE kit is black shorts, leggings or joggers and white t-shirt. We will be outside whenever possible, so trainers would be best. Children can come to school in their kit on PE days.

Homework

Our homework will be sent out every **Friday** returning back into school by the following **Tuesday**. If you have any questions about the homework, please ask.

Please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle everyday.

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

English	In reading we will focus on comprehension skills, answering questions linked to the text we have read. In English this term we will be focusing consolidating our understanding of nouns, adjectives and verbs. (Y1) We will also learn to use conjunctions to join our ideas and extend our sentences. We will also be learning to use adverbs to add interest to our writing. (Y2)
Maths	Year 1 will be extending our understanding of place value with numbers up to 50. We will be partitioning numbers into 10s and 1s and will explore the number line. Year 2 will looking at money, recognising notes and coins and learning to add and subtract amounts.
Science	In science we will be looking at minibeasts. We will explore our school grounds to find the microhabitats that minibeasts live in. We will also learn how a minibeasts appearance can help camouflage them from predators. We will learn about the life cycle of the honey bee and investigate how bees make honey.
Geography	In Geography we will be using the map skills we learned last term to help us create a sketch map of our minibeast hunt in the school grounds.

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

Computing	In computing we will be focusing on pictograms. We will be learning how to create, organise, store, manipulate and retrieve digital content. We will be thinking about how to keep information safe and secure and what to do if we are worried about what we see or find on the internet.
R.E.	This term we will continue to learn about the Jewish faith. We will explore some of the objects that might be found in a Jewish home and how they link to daily life. We will also look at key celebrations such as Shabbat and Chanukkah.
Art/ Music	In Art we will be looking at the artwork of the artist Lucy Arnold. We will also be exploring sculpture and 3D artwork. In music we will be exploring pitch and how it changes, using our voices and untuned instruments.
P.E.	Our PE focus will be on invasion games. We will develop an understanding of defending and attacking. We practice skills such as sending and receiving with both feet and hands, as well as dribbling with both feet and hands. We will play in teams and learn how to score points and learn to play to the rules.