



Woodpeckers Class - Summer 1

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Reception children will be learning to weave and sew and will make a bookmark.

Year 1 and 2 children will sew a textile pouch, first designing and making a template.

Maths

We will follow the White Rose maths scheme. In year 1 and 2 children will learn multiplication and division. They will also learn about statistics and money.

In Reception the children will be looking at number to 20 and beyond. They will learn more about shapes, composing and decomposing them.

R.E.

Reception children will look at different families and their celebrations. They will be introduced to Islam, Judaism, Hinduism, Sikhism and Humanism.

Year 1 and 2 children will continue to learn about the Jewish faith, focusing on the Shabbat and the traditions around this. Considering why it is so important to Jewish people.

Science

Reception children will be learning about bugs, they will watch caterpillars change into butterflies and go on bug hunts. They will also have a wormery in class.

Year 1 and 2 children will learn about invertebrates and identify and classify animals as fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.

Reading

Reception and year 1 children will continue to follow the Little Wandle Scheme, reading books matched to the sounds known by them. Books will be read at school and sent home.

We are focusing on fluency and comprehension.

THIS TERM we will begin to prepare the year 1 children for the Phonics Assessment next term.

Year 2 children will choose their own books to read at home.

Writing

In Year 1 and 2 English lessons will focus on past and present tenses. Writing to entertain and writing to inform.

The children will also use speech bubbles.

Reception children will be reading books about different bugs (to go alongside their science topic) and using this to inspire their writing.

History

Transport is our history topic this term. Reception children will be looking at different forms of transport now and from long ago and comparing differences.

Year 1 and 2 children will be focusing on transport in Oxford and how this has changed. What has kept Oxford moving?

P.E.

This term our P.E. focus is defending and attacking. The children will learn about marking, finding space and passing to another player.

Jigsaw

This term we are thinking about relationships. Reception children will think about family and friends, the impact of unkind words and how to resolve problems. Year 1 will consider their own qualities and how to make friends. Year 2 will think about different forms of physical contact, things that may cause conflict and who they can trust.

Computing

Year 1 and 2 children will be learning about algorithms and debugging and abstraction and decomposition. Reception children will be using Beebots to learn about the importance of instructions when programming and how to debug when something goes wrong.

Music

We will be using superheroes to learn about pitch (high and low), tempo (speed) and pattern in music.