



Woodpeckers Class - Autumn Term 2

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Reception children will be designing their own smoothie. They will taste test and try different combinations while cutting, juicing and blending ingredients.

Year 1 and 2 children will be learning about a healthy diet. They will taste ingredients and make wraps. They will be cutting, grating and snipping.

Maths

We will follow the White Rose maths scheme. In year 1 and 2 children will continue to learn about place value to 100 and addition and subtraction within 100. They will continue to learn about 3D shapes.

In Reception the children continue number work within 10. They will also learn about mass and capacity, length, height and time.

Computing

This term all children will be learning about online safety. This will coincide with safer internet day on 10th February.

Geography

In year 1 and 2 the children will continue learning the names of the 7 continents.

Science

Year 1 and 2 children will identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the body. They will also investigate which part of the body is associated with each sense.

Reception children will learn about their bodies, naming body parts and investigating what our senses do. They will think about germs, a healthy diet and exercise.

Reading

Children will continue to follow the Little Wandles 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.

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

Writing

In Year 1 and 2 English lessons will be based around the books Jack and the Beanstalk, alternative versions of this story and books about other giants.

Reception children will be learning about characters, plot and sequencing stories. They will be applying their phonetic knowledge to begin to write,

History

Children in Year 1 and 2 will be learning about the Great Fire of London. How was London different in the 17th century, how did the fire start and what changed afterwards.

Children in Reception will be listening to some classic stories set in different times and considering the differences to begin to understand past and present.

P.E.

This term our P.E. focus is gymnastics. The children will use traditional tales to learn about contrasting movements, body control, moving in different directions and speeds, working with a partner and performing.

Jigsaw

Dreams and goals. The children will consider and discuss how to set a realistic goal, work towards it and how to overcome obstacles. They will also think about working in teams and celebrating success.

R.E.

Reception children will think about different communities, recognising those they belong to.

Year 1 and 2 children will think about the questions stories in the bible make us want to ask.

Music

This term the children will use the story of the snail and the mouse to learn about the tempo of music. They will also compare different parts in a piece of music.