

Mathematics

We will be learning how to measure lengths and heights, weight and capacity, and temperature.

We will be building on our knowledge of multiplication and division. We will learn about fractions such as halves, quarters and thirds and solve word problems. We will learn about position and direction using correct vocabulary such as left and right, compass points and following directions to solve problems. We will continue to understand number with our daily maths fluency sessions.

R.E

We are learning about sacred places. why some places/ buildings are sacred to believers, looking at their main features and what happens in them.

Design and Technology

Linking to our lighthouse topic, we are going to study boats. We will explore a variety of boats and their uses. After predicting appropriate materials for a boat that will float, we will test the materials then design and make our own boats.

PE

Children will play invasion games, learning how to defend, block, aim and attack in group games. We will prepare for sports day by practicing athletic skills. Children will continue with their swimming lessons.

Art

During our art lessons, we will be studying Henri Matisse. We will look at how Matisse uses props, colour and pattern in his paintings. Owl class will then have the opportunity to create their own piece of art.

History

During the first half term, we will be finding out about Grace Darling. What did she do that made her famous and why is she remembered today? We will also be looking at the history of lighthouses.

In the second half of the term, our focus will be on the Olympics. Owl class will find out about the history of the Olympics- where and when it all started.

Science

At first, we will be learning about light and sound. We will learn about light sources and develop scientific vocabulary on this topic. We will explore reflection, shadow and dark. The pupils will understand that an energy is created when an object vibrates and sends waves of energy into our ears. Our second topic will be electricity. Children will develop an understanding of what it is, how it is used and how to stay safe. We will learn how to make a circuit to make a light bulb glow.

Owl Class Curriculum Preview

Summer Term 2024

Let there be light...



Geography

The Olympics!

What is it like living in France?

Life in Paris, the culture, food, language etc..

We will look at maps of France and find out where different places are and look at similarities and differences in landscapes.

What is needed in school?

Reading book, reading record, named water bottle and a coat, should be brought in to school every day. Forest School – bring wellies and waterproofs.

What can you do to help at home?

Read every day! We expect that reading books will be read through three times and when your child can read it fluently, he/she is ready for a new book. You can also read them stories and check out the tasks on the inside cover of your reading book. Practise your phonics with flashcards every day.

Learn your 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Practise your handwriting as this makes a big difference.

English

We are watching a video clip called 'The Lighthouse' on literacy shed. Owl class will create a bank of vocabulary from this video which will support them in various genres of writing. They will write a letter from the lighthouse keeper and write their own narrative. Children will practise answering questions about a text to develop their comprehension.

In the second half of the term, we will be writing a persuasive text on why you should visit France. Which will lead to a non-fiction text on Paris.

Computing

Digital Music making. We will be exploring various online resources to make music for different purposes.

PSHE

Discussions and activities based on:
Looking after our teeth,
Body language
Helping someone in need
Anger

Outdoor Adventures

On Tuesday 7th May, we will be going up Carding Mill Valley to take part in outdoor activities.

