

French

In French this term we are learning:

- To be able to understand some classroom instructions;
- To name classroom objects;
- To count between 11-30

Art This term our focus is observational and abstract art. We will be:

- Painting and printing using a range of different methods;
- Using pastels and other mediums;
- Exploring the work of famous artists.

Geography

This term our focus is exploring the UK and improving our mapping and geographical skills.

R.E.

We will be learning about Judaism;

- The Passover and its significance.

We will be learning about Christianity;

- Salvation and its importance.



Seder Meal



Music

Year 4—Ukulele

Year 3—Matching beats, discussing and listening to a range of genres and learning songs.

Design Technology

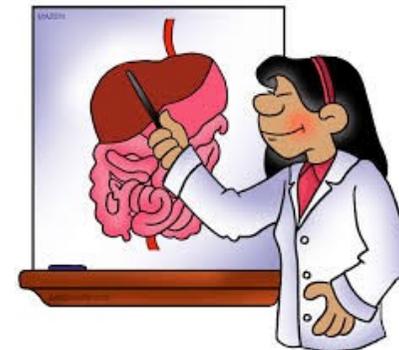
Creating bird boxes.

P.E.

Lessons will be based on gymnastics and circuit agility sessions (SAQ). Lessons will be on a Tuesday and a Wednesday (unless changes are made due to visitors)



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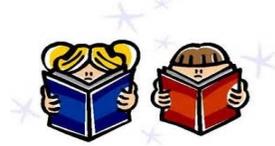
Spring Term

Year 3/4

Mrs Taylor

English

In English we are covering a range of work on:-



- Creating images in poetry;
- Stories in imaginary settings;
- Newspapers;
- Persuasive texts;
- Exploring different poetic forms.

Reading is a high priority in all year groups Please sign your child's book every night after they have read for 10 minutes and please hear your child read at least 5 times a week. Asking them to read out loud helps to develop reading fluency and clarity; it also gives the parent a chance to hear where mistakes are being made. We ask your child to bring their reading book and record into school every day, so their books can be checked and house points awarded for every signature. Children can earn up to 7 house points a week for home reading (one per day)

Reading Plus is also available for reading online. Simply oversee your child on Reading Plus and write in their reading record to earn their house point.

Spellings are learnt in school and sent home as homework to practise as you see fit. However, children also have a spelling list for the whole year at home, in their reading records, to help them practise a range of spellings.

Maths

In Maths this term we will be focussing on:

- Multiplying using formal written methods;
- Dividing using formal written methods;
- Finding the area and perimeter of shapes and objects;
- Measuring using length and capacity;
- Finding fractions of shapes and amounts;
- Using decimals including tenths and hundredths.



Science

In Science this term we will be:

- Classifying vertebrates and invertebrates;
- Recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways;
- Recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things;
- Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system of humans;
- Identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions.

I.C.T.

The main focus will be;

- To be able to word process simple texts;
- To use Microsoft power point to make a presentation;
- Data bases;
- Completing basic programming and turtle simulations.

How you can help at home?

- **Hear your child read every day and sign their reading record to earn house points.**
- **Help your child to practise the spellings that you will find in their reading record. Highlight and words they can read and spell confidently.**
- **Encourage your child to learn their times tables which can be found in their reading records.**
- **Ensure that your child has their PE kit in school each day (occasionally the school timetable can change or PE kits are needed in other lessons. For this reason we ask that PE kits are available in school all week).**

THANK YOU