



Dear Parents and Carers,

As we move further into the term, I am pleased to share an overview of the exciting new learning topics taking place across the school. The children have settled beautifully and are already showing great enthusiasm for the rich curriculum experiences ahead.

In Nursery and Reception, the children will be thinking about the roles of different people who help us in our community. This topic will be brought to life through a range of visitors coming into school to talk about their jobs and how they help others. These real-life experiences will support the children's understanding of the world around them and encourage thoughtful discussion and curiosity. Little Acorns have been busy baking bread this week with some very successful results!



In Years 1 and 2, the children will be exploring Wonderful Weather. They will be learning about different types of weather in a range of locations around the world, as well as developing their understanding of seasonal weather patterns here in the UK. This topic links well with geography and science and provides many opportunities for observation and investigation.

In Years 3 and 4, history lessons will focus on the Romans and their impact on Britain. Alongside this, in science, the children will be learning about forces and magnets, exploring how things move and interact. These hands-on investigations help to develop strong scientific enquiry skills.

In Years 5 and 6, pupils will be deepening their understanding of physical geography by studying biomes, vegetation belts and other key geographical features. In science, they will be exploring electrical circuits and will be applying their knowledge practically by designing and making a greetings card with a working circuit – a wonderful way to combine creativity with scientific understanding.

Our PE programme has got off to a flying start with the children enjoying a wide range of sports. Each class is being taught gymnastics with Mr Troman or Mr Jarad from Primary Sports on Mondays. Coach Dom and class teachers are teaching balls skills and invasion games for the younger children, and the older children are learning tag rugby skills.

We are very proud of the enthusiasm and engagement the children show in their learning and look forward to sharing more of their achievements with you as the term progresses.

Best wishes,
Donna Butler
Head of School

Our Core Value
this half term is:
Perseverance

Spring 1 Clubs -

Monday - Gymnastics Club (Rec - Y3) Mr Troman/ Mr Jarad

Monday - Homework Club (Y5-6) Mrs Whitehead

Wednesday - Multi-Sports Club (Y3-Y6) Coach Dom

Thursday - Forest School Club First Aid (All Years) Mrs Gordon-Watson

Thursday - Construction Club (All Years) Mr Evans

After school childcare is also available Monday - Thursday 3.30-5.30pm

Thought for the Week:



Attendance - last week

Whole School - 96.93%



Classes:

Hedgehogs Class - R

Squirrels Class - Y1/2

Owls Class - Y3/4

Foxes Class - Y5/6