



Curriculum Content

Oak Class

Autumn 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		Please return homework	PE	PE Homework is set
RE	English		Maths	
Our RE lessons will begin by reflecting on how through Baptism Christians are called to a life of holiness and how that this may be lived out in different ways. We will reflect on how for some it will be through marriage. We will also complete work on how Advent is a time of waiting in joyful hope for Jesus both at Christmas and at the end of time.	Our fiction work in English will focus on stories with historical settings. Our primary text will be an abridged version of Oliver Twist. We will complete various reading activities on the text as well as exploring the central themes of the story. The children will write their own follow up to Oliver Twist. We will also read A Christmas Carol.		Our mathematics lessons follow the Power Maths scheme. Year 5 will complete work on multiplication and division. They will then complete two units on fractions. Year 6 will complete work on long multiplication and long division before moving on to work on fractions.	
Science	Computing		Geography/History	
Our science lessons will be based around animals, including humans with a focus on describing the changes humans develop from birth to old age. Lessons will focus on the human timeline, how we change into adults and then how does the human and animal lifespan compare.	In computing lessons, the children will complete work on programming with a focus on micro:bit. We will clip blocks together in a program and predict what will happen. We will create animations, recognise inputs/outputs and break programs down into smaller steps.		Our focus for this half term will be on geography. Our unit of work will be a comparison of a region of the UK, Europe and North America. We will focus on the following: the Lake District, Tatra mountains (Poland) and the Blue Mountain (Caribbean).	
PSHCE/SMSC/British Values	Music		French	
In My Happy Minds, we will develop our understanding of how our brain works and how to ensure we look after it so that we can manage our emotions and be at our best. We will also complete our Life to the Full sessions. We will focus on the British Value of Rule of Law.	Our music lessons will be based around Jazz with a focus on improvisation and composition. The children will listen and appraise Bacharach Anorak and Meet the Blues. They will take part in musical activities using glocks. At the end of the unit, they will be able to perform to the class.		Our French lessons will be based around the theme of meet my family. The unit of work will introduce family and relations vocabulary. At the end of the unit, we will produce a piece of written work, in French, describing members of a family, their looks, their ages, their birthdays and their likes.	
Other information	PE		Art and DT	
Please support and encourage your child to read as much as possible at home. Your child's reading skills are important to their success in school as they will allow them to access the breadth of the curriculum. Reading can also be a fun and imaginative time for children, which opens doors to all kinds of new worlds for them.	PE lessons will take place on Thursday and Friday. In our Real PE lessons our focus will be the social cog. The children will develop and apply their balance on a line and counter balance with a partner through focused skill development sessions. The children will also develop gym skills with hand and low apparatus.		Our focus for this half term will be Art. We will explore the purpose and impact of images from the Space race era of the 1950s and 60s. The unit will encourage developing independence and decision-making through using open-ended and experimental processes. The children will create futuristic images.	