



Other work
 In history we are learning about the Ancient Egyptian civilisation.
 In RE we will be comparing what different people's views are about God are.
 In computing we are learning how to use computers and the internet safely and respectfully. We will be using search engines to find information and looking at how we can keep our own information private.
 Our art work is linked to our numeracy work on 3D shapes. We will be learning to sketch these shapes and add shading. We will use this knowledge to create a final piece. We will also develop our colour mixing skills with paints.

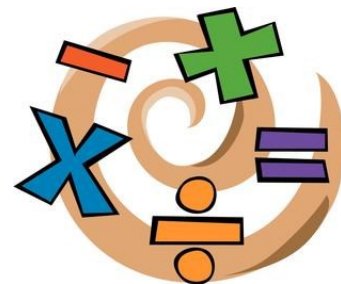
Autumn Term
 This year Beech Class is being taught by Mrs Lappington from Monday to Wednesday and Mrs Pool Wednesday to Friday.

Literacy
 This term we are studying a range of genres, including poetry and picture books. We will be looking at Anthony Brown texts as well as Memorial by Gary Crew. Teaching of grammar is being done through these texts. We continue to read regularly in school and relevant homework is being set weekly. We will also be focusing on discussion writing.

Numeracy
 We are learning about place value, negative numbers, mental strategies for addition and subtraction as well as 2D and 3D shapes. Children will be tested on KIRFs (Key Instant Recall Facts) or times tables each week on a Monday. They need to practise these at home regularly.

Science
 Our science learning will be on sound and light. This will involve learning different investigative skills.

WELCOME BACK



**Beech Class
 Autumn 2021**

Other information

Our PE days are currently Tuesdays and Wednesdays. This may vary so please have a PE kit in school at all times. Please make sure any jewellery worn can be removed independently. Wellies also need to be in school as we hope to make use of the outdoor space and woodland whenever possible.

Homework

Weekly reading homework is set on different days for different groups (please see the front of the reading homework book for the day it is due).
 Spellings to learn each week (these will also be practised in class).
 KIRFs or times tables to learn weekly (tested on a Monday).

Help is always available in school should your child need it. They just have to ask.

If you have any questions or concerns at any point in the term please do speak to either of us.