



Other work
 In **geography** we will be looking at features of the Yorkshire coast, developing our map reading skills and carrying out fieldwork at Robin Hood's Bay
 Our **RE** unit this term is religious and non-religious festivals. We will be talking about the significance of different celebrations to a range of communities.
 In **computing** we are learning to program using scratch.
 In **art** we will be designing and making our own prints followed by developing our painting techniques. In relation to landscape art
 In **DT** we will be evaluating, designing and baking biscuits.
 In **PSHE** we are going to discuss friendships, including how to identify and stand up to bullying and peer pressure.

Science
 This term we will be learning about plants. This will include identifying and classifying different types of plants and learning what they need to grow healthily. We will be using our local area for investigations during this topic.

Numeracy
 This term with Mrs Leppington we will be learning about time before moving on to look at fractions. Next half term, we will be learning about decimals and capacity.
 With Mrs Pool we will be learning about multiplication and division.

Spring Term
 Mrs Leppington teaches Monday to Wednesday. Mrs Pool teaches Wednesday to Friday.
Literacy
 This term we will be reading the text 'The Tin Forest' by Helen Ward and Wayne Anderson linked to our science work on plants. We will also be studying seaside poetry.
 With Mrs Pool we will be reading and writing Autobiographies before moving on to read texts by David Wiesner.

Other information

Our PE days are Tuesdays and Wednesdays. However, we may do PE sessions on other days so kits do need to be kept in school during the week. 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

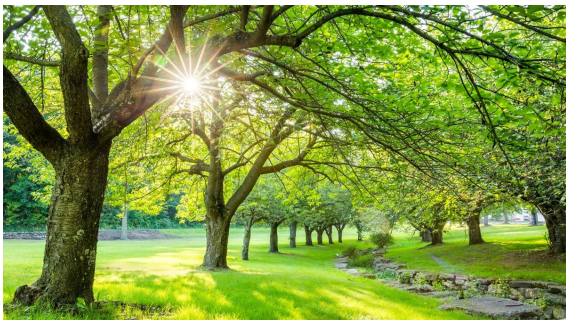
Weekly reading homework is set on different days for different groups (please see the front of the reading homework book). Children are given spellings to learn each week. There will also be opportunities to practise these in class. Spellings are tested at the end of each half term. They will also have times tables to learn which are tested most days.

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.

Mrs Leppington & Mrs Pool

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