

Understanding of the World

In Science this term we will be learning about animals. We will be learning about different animal groupings, animal diets and animal bones.

In R.E we will be exploring the question was it always easy for Jesus to show friendship and why does Easter matter to Christians?

In Geography we will be answering the question how does the weather affect us? We will explore the four countries in the United Kingdom before looking at the weather around the world and how this affects us as humans.

In Computing, this term we will continue to learn how to stay safe on the internet as well as using the iPads to help develop our coding and typing skills.

Mathematics

In Maths during spring term the following areas will be covered:

- To add by counting on
- To add ones using number bonds
- To find and make number bonds within 20
- To subtract within 20
- To compare number facts within 20
- To count to 50 by making 10s
- To count forwards and backwards within 50
- To represent numbers to 50

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The theme for PSHE this term is 'Dreams and Goals'. We will be learning about what a dream and a goal is and how we can celebrate our accomplishments. Next term we will be learning all about 'Healthy Me'.

Falcons Class Spring Term



How does the weather affect us?

Key Information

P.E this term is on Monday and Tuesday. They will have dance and Yoga sessions during these. Homework is sent out on Friday and should be completed by the following Friday. Please check our weekly class blog for updates in information and to see what we have been up to. **Children must read at least 5 times a week at home and bring in their reading books and reading records to school each day. All reading records are collected each Friday to check the children's reading.**

English

Our books this term: Ivy and the Lonely Raincloud & Once upon a raindrop

In English this term the following areas will be covered:

- Writing recounts, reports, persuasive letters poems and narrative pieces.
- Making predictions of what we think might happen in a text.
- To continue to develop our understanding of capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.
- To edit our own writing.
- To join word and clauses with the word 'and, so and but'.
- To develop our use of question marks.
- To continue to identify the difference between capital letters and lower case letters.
- Identifying and writing in the present and past tense.

In Phonics this term the following areas will be covered through the use of Sounds Write:

- Continuing the Sounds Write extended code.
- Applying our phonic skills to decode real and alien words.
- To decode and blend polysyllabic words.
- Focusing on our year 1 common exception words.

Creative Development

In DT this term we will be exploring where our food is made and how to prepare simple dishes without heat. We will be using chopping, grating, slicing and many other skills to help us create a simple food dish. We will also be looking at different foods from around the world and how it differs to what we eat regularly.

Recommended Reading for Spring Term 1 Year 2

