



CURRICULUM OVERVIEW - AUTUMN TERM - SECOND HALF

Welcome back to this second Autumn term. We hope you have had a restful and peaceful break; the children certainly deserved it after working so hard last term. We were extremely proud of how well they settled into the Year One routine and their eagerness to learn.

This term is a busy one, as well as our learning we will also be practising and performing our Christmas production.

We have started our Forest School sessions for this term, we will continue every Tuesday afternoon. We hope you now have all the information needed about the appropriate clothing to bring in each week.

We hope you have all received your child's login and password for Purple Mash, My Maths and TTRS. Well done to those children who have already logged on at home.

English Overview

Zog by Julia Donaldson- In the first half of this term we will be identifying the main character and events in our story. Retelling stories and making personal reading choices, explaining why. We will talk about what is being said or done in the story and why. Finally, we will be orally rehearsing our sentences for our own narrative story and using our grammar skills to write our stories.

Fire! Fire! - In the second half of the term we will be reading and enjoying poems on a theme. We will be reading and sharing popular poems and joining in with the reciting of them, to learn them and recognise the patterns. Finally, we will be writing, performing, and illustrating our own poems.

Maths Overview

We will continue with our application of number and place value and also be looking at: -

Sequency and sorting - Identifying patterns and sorting objects, shapes or numbers to a given criterion.

Fractions - Recognise whole, half and a quarter of objects and shapes.

Capacity and Volume - Describe capacity and volume using, full/empty/half full/nearly full/nearly empty.

Money - Recognise coins to 20p, represent an amount using different coins.

Time - Know days of the week and months of the year and sequence. Use language before, after, next. Compare durations of events - quicker/slower



Other Subjects:

Science

Seasons- observing the changing seasons.

Computing

Store and retrieval - Creating a file on Purple Mash, saving and retrieving our work.

History

The Great Fire of London - what happened to London during the 'Great Fire'? Find out information about London and *Samuel Pepys*.

Music

Using voices expressively - looking at a range of musicians and putting together a final performance piece.

Religious Education

Christmas - Why do we give and receive gifts? Why does Christmas matter so much to Christians?

Physical Education

Dance- expressing ourselves through dance to tell stories. Fundamental Skills - ball rolling.

PSHE

Valuing difference -same or different, being fair or unfair, who are our special people?

Design Technology

Mechanisms - exploring how these are used in products, designing our own, making our own moving parts picture using the skills learnt from our focused tasks.

PE and Forest School

Tuesday Afternoon

Your child can now come to school on this day in their PE kit. Please bring their Forest School kit into school each Tuesday.

Useful website links can be found here on our class webpage.

[Website Links | Waddington and West Bradford C.E. Primary School \(www.lancs.sch.uk\)](http://www.lancs.sch.uk)

We hope the children find the activities fun to do whilst learning.

Our Class Rainbow Value is:

Optimism

Enrichment/School Trips

Pantomime at The Grand