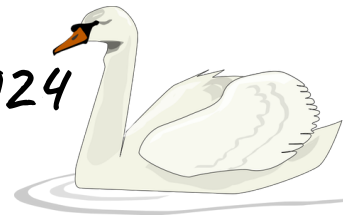




Swan Class Curriculum News Spring 2 2024



Let's explore the UK!

English

Our English this term is based on a high quality text 'The snail and the whale'. The book will be introduced gradually to the children, as they explore it in depth. The book will support both reading and writing. In writing we are looking at diary writing and speech bubbles.

Maths

We teach Maths based on the White Rose Maths scheme. This term we are working on 'Place value to 50' and measuring length and height and mass and volume.

Maths is taught using a wide range of resources and strategies to ensure that the children have a good understanding of the Maths they are learning. We will also use maths mastery for secure number knowledge.

Science

We will be weather detectives, looking at weather across the UK and how the weather changes through the seasons. We will discuss extremes of weather.

Geography

We will find out about the United Kingdom and the countries that form the UK.

PSHE

We follow the [SCARE](#) scheme and the theme for this half term is 'Rights and respect'. The lessons will cover taking care of something and understanding money.

Computing

The children will learn about programming a 'Beebot' by putting in a series of instructions.



RE

In RE we use the 'Discovery' scheme and we are discussing the question, 'Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity?'

RE is taught by Mrs Patterson.

Music

We use the Kapow scheme and this term we are exploring timbre and rhythmic patterns.

This lesson is taught by Mrs Panting.

PE

The children use the Get Set 4 PE scheme and this term will cover 'Fitness', and 'sending and receiving'. PE is on Tuesday and Wednesday this term.

Design Technology

In DT we will identify different fruits and vegetables and practise our cutting and chopping skills to make a smoothie.