

Foundation Stage Curriculum Outline

'Here comes Summer!' (Term 6 2021)

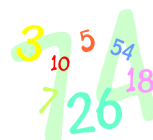
Communication & Language/Literacy (CLL)



As part of our 'Water and Holidays' topic, we will be reading stories such as 'Mr Gumpy's Outing' and 'Mr Archimede's Bath' and using them as a model to write our own stories. In phonics, we will be looking back at all of our sounds and tricky words, ready to read and write longer sentences as we move into Year 1. We will continue to work on accurate letter formation, thinking about the shape and size of our writing. As we go through the term, we will begin to take part in guided group reading sessions, focusing on comprehension and prediction skills.

Mathematics

In Mathematics we will be having a look back at our major topics, starting with the numbers to 20. We will then revise addition, subtraction, number bonds for 10 and doubles as well as trying to apply our number skills when solving problems. New learning will include thinking about sharing and halving, as well as counting in groups of 2, 5 and 10.



Understanding the World (UW)

As part of our topic, we will explore how we celebrate holidays in our own families and think about some of the places that we may have visited. We will look at floating and sinking, trying to predict what will happen to an object when we place it into the water. There will also be a focus on creatures that live in the water and water safety.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

This term we will investigate the theme of 'Changing Me' We will be thinking about what we are looking forward to, and what we are nervous about, as we get ready to move into Year 1. There will be a focus on knowing the correct names for different parts of our bodies as well as thinking about how to keep our bodies healthy.

Physical Development and P.E

P.E will move back to a **Wednesday** morning. This half term, the children will be working on team races and stamina. We are lucky to have Miss Collishaw from Carre's Grammar School working with us again and she will be helping us to develop our basic skills, balance and co-ordination through a range of games! There will be a range of activities on offer each day to develop gross motor skills (e.g. digging in the sand) and fine motor skills (e.g. tracing).



It essential that your child comes to school in suitable outdoor PE kit each Wednesday. PLEASE ensure that all items are named!

Religious Education (R.E.)

In R.E. we will think about 'Our Wonderful World', with particular emphasis on comparing the Hindu and Jewish creation stories with the Christian story that we have already learned about. We will continue to attend bubble assemblies with Mr Hodgson. In our class worship we will be thinking about, and writing, our own prayers based on the amazing world around us and how we can care for it.



Expressive Arts & Design (EAD)



There will be many opportunities for painting, drawing, model making and role-play throughout this term! We will be creating posters, collages, models and paintings. Our outdoor area will (hopefully!) be well used and we have a wealth of new equipment and resources to explore and enjoy. We will also continue with our weekly singing and music lessons using Oak National Academy.

We will continue to send home reading books for you to share with your child. Please continue to support your child by sharing their book and phonics sounds/words for 10 minutes each night. We are looking forward to our final busy term in York Class!

Mrs Moseley, Mrs Berry & Mrs Mansfield

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