



Welcome to Autumn term! We are excited to have your children back in school and ready to start a year in Orange base full of exciting new adventures, experiences and learning! We have high expectations of all children in Orange base supporting all children to achieve their best and take pride in what they produce and skills they learn. Thank you for your ongoing support with this!

Important Dates:



Parent/carers evening 16/10/24
Planetarium – October, date TBC

Our PE Days:

Tuesday and Wednesday



Our book changing days:

Return the book on Thursday
New book sent out on Friday
Please bring back the yellow reading record too.



Homework:

Read and sign planner 3 times a week



Literacy:

Autumn 1 Our first book is 'Man on the Moon' by Simon Bartram. We will be introducing our Writers Toolkit, learning about capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. As well as creating actions to use when we are retelling the story.



Autumn 2

'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers. Is our second book of the term. The children will be consolidating their knowledge from Autumn 1 and continuing to build on their confidence when writing.



Science:

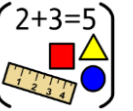
This term we are learning all about the seasons! We will be looking at what happens around us in each season as well as taking part in exciting experiments! There will be plenty of opportunities to use the enquiry cog to find out more information! We will also be learning about Space! Linking to our Literacy topic in Autumn 1.



Maths:

Autumn 1

In Maths we are learning about place value within 10 and then moving onto addition and subtraction within 10.



Autumn 2

We are then taking this skills and applying them to numbers within 20! Learning about place value and addition and subtraction. We will also be exploring 2D and 3D shapes.

History:

Our History topic this term relates to significant people in the past. We are focusing on Mae Jemison and Neil Armstrong. The first astronauts to go to space who are famous for different reasons! We will be looking at footage from the past and exploring what life is like as an astronaut.



PSHE:

We will be exploring the topics of 'identify, society and equality'.



Learning about what each word means to us and why they are all important. The second topic is 'Feeling Good and Being Me'. The children will be learning how to express their feelings and will support the development of their self-confidence.

PE:

This term we will be focusing on our coordination and balance! Exploring throwing and catching as well as jumping and landing. Not only will the children be learning new skills they will also be working on the collaborative cog!



Religious Education:

We will be looking at a range of special books and discussing why they're special. There will also be lots of opportunities to build on our empathy cog through discussing the topic 'why do we care for others?'



Computing:

This term we will be learning the basics of computers. How to safely turn a computer on and off, how to use a keyboard to type and then how to use a mouse.



Art/Design Technology:

In Design and Technology this term we will be creating rocket ships! First we will be planning how we are going to create our rockets, what resources they will need and what skills we will be using.

We will then be learning about the artist Vincent Van Gogh and creating art work inspired by him!



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