

As readers...

This term, our whole class reading text is 'Agents of the Wild: Operation honeyhunt' by Jennifer Bell & Alice Lickens. We will be using this in our reading lessons alongside other short texts to support comprehension activities. Reading lessons will focus on a range of different reading skills, including: decoding, skimming and scanning as well as other comprehension skills. Please encourage your child's love of reading by reading regularly at home and recording this in their reading records.

As writers...

We will be exploring rhyming poetry and identifying and creating rhyming words and patterns. We will then be creating our own rhyming poetry inspired by Julia Donaldson and performing them.

As linguists... We will be continuing sentence-level work to become confident at using masculine, feminine and plural adjective agreement. Recognise and record keywords and phrases from a spoken text, practise reading out loud to learn simple pronunciation rules. Listen to story of "Max & Mathilde en ville" and practise reading as a class.

As mathematicians...

We will be finishing our work on multiplication and division. We will be looking at formal ways to record and solve multiplication and division problems, as well as representing related problems practically and pictorially. We will also be spending time learning about measurement: mass and capacity.

DT – Let's go fly a kite!

This term we will be exploring how to design and construct our own kites. We will start by exploring the different parts and functions of kites and test the most effective shapes. We will select the most appropriate materials to use by considering what will be most durable and light-weight. After creating a design, we will construct, test and evaluate our kites.

As members of our community (PSHE)...

We will be looking at 'Healthy Me'.

As active individuals (PE)...

We will be doing cricket with Mr Murphy.

Please note –

Nightingales – PE kits need to be worn to school on Monday and Wednesday.

Puffins – PE kits need to be worn to school on Wednesday and Outdoor Learning clothes on Friday.

Classes: **Puffins and Nightingales**

Please see our website pages:



Puffins



Nightingales

What's on...

Thursday 27.3.24 TD day

Friday 28.3.24 Bank Holiday

Please check Class Dojo regularly for updates and key

Homework – Children in Puffins and Nightingales will be given weekly spellings and KIRFs (mental maths) targets to practise. If your child doesn't fully understand what they need to do, please ensure they speak to their teacher before the weekend 😊

As scientists...

In this science topic about sound, we will be learning about and investigating how sound travels and how we can hear. We will be learning about volume and pitch and carrying out some investigations to explore how volume can be measured.

As computing experts...

We will be using purple mash to learn how to use code to create logos and symbols.