

AUTUMN *Learning Summary*

NEVERLAND CLASS



Spelling/Phonics

We will be learning some new common exception words whilst in our phonics sessions how one sound can be written using different spellings.

Reading

We will be focussing on identifying characters, sequencing and predicting storylines. We will also look at what we can infer from the text.

Writing

We will focus on writing complete sentences correctly using our story, One Day on Our Blue Planet.

Maths

We will start the year looking at place value up to the number ten and then move onto addition, subtraction and shape.

Science

Our first half term we will be 'becoming scientists'. Each week we will be setting up experiments to allow us to study the principles of Science.

History

We will be looking at the past to see how shops, schools and houses have changed.

Geography

We shall explore the continents and oceans of the World. Then look at our UK countries, capital cities and seas.

Religion & World Views

We shall be investigating:

1. Why do we need to give thanks?
2. What do candles mean to people?

Art

Our first unit focusses on drawing and how we can use lines and media in our drawing.

Design Technology

We will begin with designing a moving story book and then constructing our own windmills.

Music

We will be looking at West African call and response songs and then orchestral instruments.

PSHE

We will talk about building new relationships and being safe in the 'Myself and My Relationships' unit.

Computing

Children will look at technology that we use every day and how it helps us.

PE

The children will have weekly multi-skills and gymnastic skill lessons. Our PE days are Tuesday and Thursday.

HOMework

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Reading

Read for 15-30 minutes, four times a week. Please record pages read and ensure that there is a signature of an adult in the reading diary.

History

Talk to different family members about their experiences in school. What was it like going to the shops? How did their homes used to look? Is it the same or different to your experiences now?

Geography

Listen to some songs about the seven continents and the five oceans in preparation for our geography topic.

Can you research the four countries in the United Kingdom and create a fact file about the different capital cities?

Computing

Can you take photos of different types of technology in your own home or places you have visited?

Additional Homework

We know that while many families struggle to find time to complete additional homework, lots of children enjoy spending time on activities at home. The following ideas related to topics studied in class this term are suggestions for tasks that could be completed with varying levels of independence/ support. There is no pressure to complete these tasks but act as menu of activities children or families may like to choose from.

Send photos on dojo for half termly star cards and Dojos.

Art

Can you research and recreate the artists or art styles for this term?

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