

Cherry Class



Autumn Term

Welcome back! We hope you have had a fabulous and fun filled summer. We are very excited to get to know you all and find all about the things you enjoy.

Topics

Our overarching topic in KS2 is 'Home and Away'. Cherry class will be focusing their work on... 'On our doorstep'. We will be exploring how the Greeks affected and shaped modern day life. We will compare ancient Greece to modern day Greece. We are hoping to have a dress up day later on in the half term so get your Greek togas ready!

Science will focus on the importance of sound, how we hear and how sound is created. Additionally, Cherry Class will utilise their Science Super powers and look carefully, observe changes and identify patterns during our Science lessons.

In RE we will learn about 'Remembering'. We will look at the importance of ritual and memorial. Additionally, we will visit our local church over harvest and the festive period.

In Computing children will learn new skills and they will apply the skills taught in other subjects. We will use the internet to research and present information about the Ancient Greeks. As always internet safety is of high priority and we will be checking in with 'Hector' and his friends to keep up to date!

As well as our topic the children will continue to take part in daily Maths, English and guided reading sessions.

Our Friday assembly will continue to be a celebration of the children's success. We will inform you if your child is receiving an award in assembly so you can share in their celebrations too.

Please feel free to send in any items you think would support the children's learning this term such as books, photographs, posters, artefacts etc.

PE and Games Lessons

It will be a super busy half term for Sports!

All of Cherry class will be taking part in the PE modules Multiskills, Boot Camp, African Dance and Mighty Movers, these could be outdoor activities so remember to wrap up warm as the months get cooler! We will be developing our fitness and teambuilding skills and hope each week to improve upon our personal bests. Our flexibility will be stretched during yoga and pilates sessions.

Inhalers will be taken to all PE lessons by members of staff and we welcome water bottles to be brought to lessons too.

Please ensure your child's **full PE kit is in school every day and that all items are clearly named**. In addition if your child has their ears pierced they will need to remove them for PE or ensure that they have their own



Reading

Reading at home is really important as it will help to support your child's development in areas across the curriculum. We actively encourage you to read a wide range of literature together such as comics, menus, newspaper, books, magazines or even street signs!

Enjoy sharing books together at home.



Our school day

8:45 - School Opens
8:55 - Registration
9:05 - Guided reading / phonics sessions
9:30 - Maths
10:30 - Assembly
10:45 - Playtime
11:00 - English
12:00 - Lunchtime and clubs
1:00 - Afternoon session 1
2:15 - Afternoon session 2
3:10 - Story time
3:25 - 1st Bell for EYFS/Y1/Y2
3:30 - 2nd Bell for Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6



We hope you find this information useful. We are excited to work together with you over the coming term to offer your child the very best learning experiences. The term promises to be a busy but interesting and exciting one. We thank you in advance for your help in supporting your child so they can achieve their full potential.

Yours sincerely,

Cherry Class Team - Mrs Spencer, Mrs Elder and Mrs Coates

(TEACHERS & TA)

Cherry class staffing

Monday - Mrs Elder

Tuesday - Mrs Elder

Wednesday - Mrs Spencer

Thursday - Mrs Spencer

Friday - Mrs Spencer

