



ASH CLASS

Spring Term Newsletter 2024



Welcome back Ash Class! I hope you have all had a exciting and fun-filled Christmas holiday and are feeling ready for a busy and exciting Spring term. We have exciting things to look forward to including a Greek day! I look forward to welcoming you all back.

If there is anything you need, please do not hesitate to get in touch. Many thanks, Miss Watson

History

Our question in history this term is: 'What did the Greeks ever do for us?'

We will be exploring Greek history, focusing on Greek Gods, Athens & Sparta. We will also be having our own Greek day with a special visitor!

Geography

In Geography this term we will be learning all about the oceans. We will be focusing on the importance of them and why they are suffering.

Art and Design

Our Art and Design lessons this term will focus on sculpture and 3D. We will be looking at mega materials such as ceramics, soap sculptures and recycling materials.

Design and Technology

This term we will be learning how to adapt a recipe when making biscuits. We will also design and make a slingshot car.

Religious Education and World Views

Our lessons this term will focus Faith In Action. Our main focus will be 'What are the challenges?'. We will be looking at our own beliefs, who we listen to and who inspires us.

Computing

Computing this term will focus on programming in Scratch, Data Detectives and 3D design. We will be learning how to access a range of computer programs.

French

In French this term our topics will be 'the date' and 'at the tea room'. First, we will be looking at how to say the date in French and how to say our birthdays. This will help consolidate our knowledge of numbers.

PE and Games Lessons

PE this term will include both indoor and outdoor sessions.

Our PE days will be Monday and Wednesday. Please ensure children come to school in full PE kit on their PE days.

Please also ensure that any earrings can be taken out or that tape is provided for your child.

English

In English this term, we will build upon our ability to write for a range of genres and purposes, whilst focusing on our accurate use of grammar, spelling and punctuation.

Maths

In maths, we will continue to consolidate our knowledge and understanding of the four operations. As well as this, we will cover areas such as fractions.

Science

In science, we will be looking at animals including humans and forces and sound.

Daily Routine

Every morning, children will have their daily maths, reading, SPaG and English lessons. Our afternoons consist of a range of curriculum subjects.

Other Information

Spellings

The children will be assigned 10 spellings a week on Spelling Shed. These are practised in school and can also be practised at home. On Fridays, we will test the spellings from the previous week.

ROCK TO THE TOP

Children who have read at home 4 times a week will move onto the next rock. If they reach the diamond by the end of the term, they will receive a prize. Please ensure this is evidenced in reading records, the children are able to record the book and pages they have read, but please ensure an adult adds their signature.