

Learning across the four contexts at MPS – Term 1



Opportunities for personal achievement

Assembly– Weekly opportunities to be rewarded with a certificate in assembly for being star of the week, a rights-respective pupil or following the school values.

Wider achievements – On a Monday, pupils can share wider achievements with the class and at assembly. Please bring in any medals, certificates etc. on a Monday to share. Every week we will be celebrating the successes of individuals and the whole class.

Interdisciplinary Learning

Topic – We have begun investigating our new topic, minibeasts. We are going looking at a variety of areas such as habitats, food chains, energy sources, and communication between organisms. We will be exploring these through various subjects such as science, art, literacy, and ICT.

Outdoor Learning– Children will have opportunities to work on their communication and leadership skills throughout our teambuilding activities outdoors and at outdoor gym.

The Curriculum

'the totality of all that is planned for children and young people throughout their education'

Harvest – collaborative planning and creating artwork for the Harvest Celebration at the church.

Class Charter –We have created a Class Charter, showing our understanding of the UNCRC Rights of the Child and how we all have rights as well as making sure others have their rights

Reading – we have been reading lots of stories related to our topic, minibeasts, and have been completing various jobs related to what we have read.

School Values– We are continuing to learn about our school values (Motivating our pupils to be **ambitious, respectful** and **kind**) and how this is linked to our rights and choices we make in and out of class.

Shared Finish– We look forward to welcoming you into our class this term to show off our new classroom and share our current learning.

Seesaw– Regular learning will be shared to Seesaw, when time allows, for you to see what we get up to and the progress we are making.

Literacy – we will spend this term following Big Writing lessons which will improve our VCOP and sentence structure. We will continue to learn from the Letters and Sounds scheme to help with our phonics and reading.

Numeracy– we will look at revising number and extending this to learn about larger numbers and their place value. We will also cover the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

HWB– in gym we will be covering ball skills such as dribbling, passing, and shooting. We will need to use coordination, teamwork and listening skills. We are focusing on understanding our emotions and creating a toolkit of coping strategies.

ICT – we will be learning how to access and use a range of documents and websites to assist our topic research.

Ethos and life of the school as a community

Curriculum areas and subjects