

The main focus for learning this term will be:

`Ranger Jane´ (local area focus — country parks & woodlands)

Literacy

- Reading group reading, with a focus on developing reading fluency/expression. Children will share predictions about class texts and discuss key features.
- Spelling/phonics Assessment/revision of key patterns. Common words.
- Writing Descriptions. Exploring the 'Description Bubble' and writing a variety of different pieces.
- Handwriting Recapping letter formation/size.
- Listening and Talking personal responses to class texts. Sharing opinion and listening to/respecting the opinions of others.
- French greetings. Classroom language. Numbers.

Numeracy/Maths

- Numeracy focus assessment/revision of key concepts.
- Forward/backward number sequences.
- Place value.
- Numeral recognition/number words.
- Strategies for addition/subtraction and consolidation of number bonds.
- Time recapping 'half past' and 'quarter past'. Using timers.

Health and Wellbeing

- Building our community school values, class charter.
- Exploring wellbeing indicators.
- 'Emotion Works' recovery curriculum (exploring emotions).
- Health and hygiene (hand washing/sanitising).
- PE skills for football. Team games/activities.

Interdisciplinary Learning

Local area study ('Ranger Jane'):

- Social Studies skills covered characteristics of our local environment. Living things and their habitats. Map skills.
- Technologies skills covered Sketching ideas. Model making. Following directions.
- Maths skills covered journeys/directions. Grid references. Data handling.
- Science skills covered living things. Food chains.
- Drama skills covered negotiating roles. Responding to scenarios in role.
- Art & design skills covered planning a solution to a design challenge. How does art & design help us in real life?

Discrete Learning

- RME food and festivals.
- Music creating and performing.

Opportunities for personal achievement and involvement in the ethos and life of the school

'Living Our Values' certificates

Other information

- PE days this term are Wednesday and Friday. Children can come to school with appropriate footwear (trainers) and clothing on these days.
- This term, Miss Hall will work with our class on a Wednesday during my non-contact time. Mrs Dugan will support the class during writing sessions on Thursdays.
- Home learning boards will be posted on Seesaw. Any reading at home is encouraged.
- At the moment, children are still unable to bring in items from home for 'Together Time'.
- Ipay Impact will be used for ordering lunches as our office are not currently taking cash payments. Children can select their choices at home.