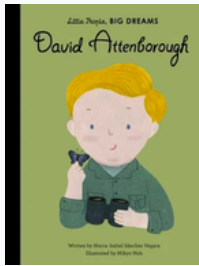


What we are learning this half term

The Summer Two topic relates to our new focus "Ocean Treasures". This explores and embraces pupil's imagination when discussing their understanding of our world in relation to what kinds of animals live in the ocean. We will explore and elaborate on what pollution and recycling is and what our children can do to support our world. We will then learn how to represent our own ideas and interpretations by giving our opinions and listening to others. We will explore how to enquire knowledge in different ways (Books and Technology) and research facts.



PSHE

During the half term children will focus adjustment and adaptation when looking towards transition. We will be diving deeper into teamwork and sharing an awareness of our own needs in appropriate ways. This will be linked with the Jig-Saw strategies we introduce to the pupils. This half term we shall be focusing on 'Respect and Growing'.

Maths

We will be focusing on shapes and developing spatial reasoning skills. We will learn about increasingly complex 2D and 3D shapes and patterning. Children will learn vocabulary relating to shape including corners, vertices, sides and curved. Children continue, copy and create repeating patterns with varying rules such as; AB, ABB and ABBC patterns. Furthermore, children will have opportunities to compare length, weight and capacity.

English

For our literacy we are focusing on stories related to the new topic "Ocean Treasures". This includes stories such as 'Commotion in the Ocean', 'House for a hermit crab', 'Somebody Swallowed Stanley', and many more exciting tales that grasp the children's interest in reading. We will be using different writing formats such as writing frames, posters, labels, signing in forms and various other mark making resources. As an addition we shall continue with building upon pupils knowledge of simple sentence writing; use of punctuation; and descriptive language. This then continues with the mark making and reading opportunities allowing the children to use the learned sounds in Rocket Phonics.

Homework

Please read the book given to your child on the weekend and return on a Monday for pupils to change once completed.

The teachers may also give extra tasks in paper form or electronically.



Reading

We will be encouraging the children to read every day. Please listen to your children read at home and sign their reading record. Reading books and other school resources should be brought back into school every day.



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