
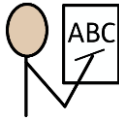



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Curriculum Area	We are learning to...
<p><b>Phonics (Fred time)</b></p> 	<p><b>Green, Purple &amp; Pink Groups:</b> <a href="http://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/iE1yLDli/6J8uLgae">http://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/iE1yLDli/6J8uLgae</a></p> <p><b>Orange &amp; Yellow:</b> <a href="http://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/GlxzNVSw/Q6KXLzPE">http://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/GlxzNVSw/Q6KXLzPE</a></p> <p><b>Blue &amp; Grey:</b> <a href="http://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/My3VHczO/p28LTVoe">http://schools.ruthmiskin.com/training/view/My3VHczO/p28LTVoe</a></p> <p><b>Spelling:</b> Your child will have been given a set of spelling words to learn this week. They will have been given a book to practise in at home</p>
<p><b>Literacy</b></p> 	<p>In Literacy we will be reading The Great Kaypok Tree. We will focus on characters and writing for a purpose.</p> <p>We will focus on questions linked to VIPERS – Vocabulary, Inference, Prediction, Explain, Retrieval and Summarise as we explore these texts.</p> <p>In Guided Reading we are looking at the following texts; Mandate of Heaven, Tools and Treasure of Ancient China and The yellow River</p>
<p><b>Maths</b></p> 	<p>This week in maths we will be focussing on Time.</p> <p>We will be finding looking at days, hours and years. We will also focus on reading digital times and understanding roman numerals.</p>
<p><b>Topic Focus: Geography</b></p>	<p>This week will be our Geography learning. We will be focussing on</p> <p><b>Locational Knowledge:</b> → Locate the Amazon Rainforest and the Amazon River on a world map → Identify that the Amazon is in South America and lies near the equator</p> <p><b>Place Knowledge:</b> → Describe the key physical features of the Amazon (climate, river, dense forest) → Understand that the Amazon is a tropical rainforest and compare it with temperate rainforests</p> <p><b>Human and Physical Geography:</b> → Explain how people live in the Amazon and how they adapt to their environment → Describe how food and resources (e.g. Brazil nuts) are produced and traded → Understand key environmental issues such as deforestation</p> <p><b>Environmental Awareness:</b> → Explain why the Amazon rainforest is important (wildlife, climate, oxygen) → Describe threats to the rainforest and suggest ways it can be protected</p> <p><b>Geographical Skills:</b> → Use maps and atlases to locate key features → Use geographical vocabulary accurately → Present information through diagrams, maps, and written explanations</p>

**Any other information/ reminders**

We are always looking for Reading Army Volunteers - so if you can help please contact the school office.

Please note this is a basic overview of the planning for this week. It is impossible to cover in this outline all the learning that takes place during a week! We also believe in listening to your children and responding to their interests and ideas therefore all our planning is flexible. Please note some of the learning will take place across more than one week and during some weeks the learning focus may not cover all curriculum areas.