



Oak Tree Class - Spring Term

Mathematics

At Woodfield we follow the White Rose Mathematics scheme. In the Spring Term, pupils will continue their learning and practice of multiplication and division. They will also begin to explore fractions.

English

Pupils will continue their progress in phonics with Bug Club, and with their inference and deduction skills using Rapid Readers. They will consolidate their application of the common word endings s, es, ed, and prefixes and suffixes. They will use more complex punctuation such as ?, ! and, and explore writing fiction and non-fiction texts.

Creative Arts

Pupils will continue to enjoy creativity through Music, Dance and Drama lessons. They will learn more about pulse and be able to chant with a good sense of pulse and perform using graphic notation. They will recognise and perform rhythmic patterns in songs and demonstrate awareness between pitch, shape and rhythm using graphic notations. They will listen to and make observations on a variety of live recorded music, especially music from films.

In Drama, they will continue to explore jobs through acting and look at character creation through the musical Oliver Twist and explore some puppet theatre.

Humanities

In History, pupils will study significant explorers, including the achievements of Florence Nightingale and Neil Armstrong.

In Geography, pupils will study continents and ocean; cities in the UK; seasons and the weather.

Design, Technology and Art

Pupils will engage in cooking sessions at least 4 times this term. They will prepare ingredients hygienically using the appropriate utensils by following a recipe, increasing in complexity.

In Art, pupils will experiment with different grades of pencil and other implements. In DT, pupils will measure and mark out accurately, cut materials accurately and safely and cut slots.

PE/Dance

This term, pupils will continue with their swimming, and in PE lessons, they will learn about yoga and circuit training. Pupils will develop their strength and agility, as well as determination and resilience. They will understand how to exercise safely and be able to describe how their bodies feel during activities.

Science

Pupils will look at food groups and balanced diets and balanced and unbalanced forces. Pupils will then move onto separation techniques in Chemistry. Pupils will continue to visit Brolay farm and consolidate their understanding of animal husbandry and tools.

PSHE

We continue to follow the Jigsaw PSHE programme. This term, pupils will learn about dreams, goals and teamwork. They will also learn about healthy lifestyles, including healthy medicine and healthy eating.

Digital Skills

Pupils will use Scratch Junior to explore and create simple programs, learning to change characters and backgrounds. They will be introduced to basic algorithms and will program a floor robot to move in different directions and follow simple routes.