



Class C

Spring Term 2020

Dear Parents of Class C,

Happy New Year to you all! We hope you had a lovely Christmas break. Here is a brief outline of some of the areas your child will be covering this term. Our topic for the Spring term is 'Water, Water Everywhere'.

Kind regards,

Mrs Parry and Mrs Cioffi

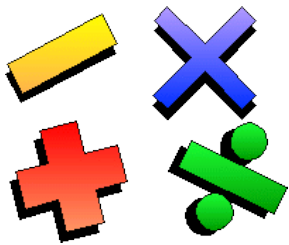
Literacy

We will be continuing with our daily Read Write Inc. phonics and writing lessons.



There will also be plenty of writing opportunities across other curriculum areas to include; water poetry, writing a newspaper report about a sea-faring disaster, creating a sea creature fact-file, producing a leaflet about water safety and story writing around the topic.

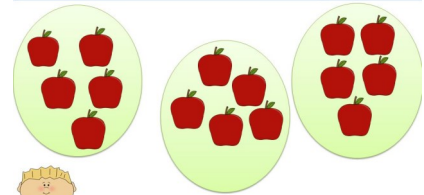




Numeracy

We will start the term recapping addition and subtraction moving onto introducing division as 'sharing'.

1. Division –Sharing



$$15 \div 3 = 5 \quad 15 \div 5 = 3$$



We will look at fractions of shapes, quantities and numbers.

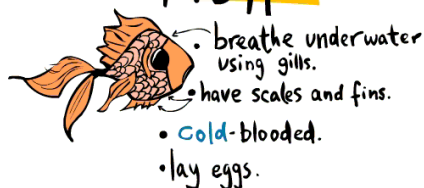


We will be comparing, ordering and measuring length and height.



Science

FISH



AMPHIBIANS

- live on land & in water.
- Cold-blooded.
- lay eggs.
- moist skin.
- webbed feet.



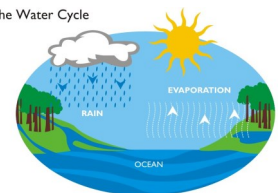
We will be looking at living things and their habitats, particularly focusing on fish and amphibians.



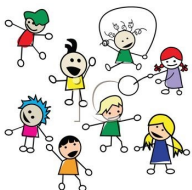
The children will explore plants naturally growing in their local environment.

We will investigate floating and sinking and the water cycle to include water in its three different states.

The Water Cycle



PE



Our visiting sports coaches will be with us on Monday afternoons.

Geography

We will use maps and atlases to locate the five Oceans of the world.



We will look at geographical similarities and differences between our local area and a UK seaside area.



We will visit the canal and conduct a field study.

History

We will study a sea-faring disaster and re-search life in those times.

Religious Education

We will look at the story of Easter.



ICT



The children will be using the internet to research around our topic and will word process some work.

Music

We will listen to and appraise a piece of water inspired music and create our own piece of water music with instruments.

Art / DT

We will work with water colours and explore Van Gogh's 'Fishing Boats on the Beach'.



We will make raindrop sun-catchers.

We will work with marbling inks to create a sea based piece of art.



We will work together to create a porthole display.



PSHE

We will look at the conservation of water and water safety.

Homework



Brain Builder homework will be set on Friday's to be returned by the following Thursday.

Reading

Regular reading at home should be recorded in Reading Record books.



Spellings

Spellings will be sent home on Fridays to be tested the following Friday.

If you have any questions regarding your child or our topic please feel free to pop in after school.