



Newsletter

Summer Term 2024

Goldfinch

Mr Machangara, Mr Steadman and Mr Wint

If you have any concerns about your child's learning please contact Miss MacDonald directly, in the first instance.

Topic

Our topic for summer 1 is 'The Rainforest'. During the term we will be focusing on setting a description and the different layers of the rainforest.

Science

In science this term, we will be learning about 'Plants'. We will be looking at; the functions of different parts of a plant, what plants need to grow and many more. This topic should blend in well with our 'Rainforest' topic.



Maths

Over the summer term, we will continue to cover the maths curriculum, as well as securing the children's learning from the previous objectives learnt. Children will start with a focus on understanding and manipulating multiplicative relationships and then moving onto coordinates.

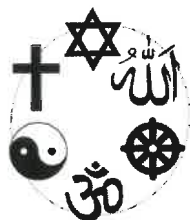
English

In our English lessons we will continue focusing on our Brilliant Basics. We will be exploring how to make our writing more engaging through the use of expanded noun phrases, fronted adverbials and prepositional phrases. Our class reading book will be 'Fantastic Mr Fox' by Roald Dahl.



RE

Our key question in RE this half term will be 'What kind of world did (does) Jesus want?' During the term we will be looking into parables such as 'The Good Samaritan' and how they relate to our everyday lives.



PSHEe

Our PSHEe topics for this term will be growing up and Relationships. We will be focusing on how to respect ourselves and others. We will also start to look at changes in ourselves and others. We will continue to focus on our Mental Health and learning how we can improve it.

PE

In the Summer Term, we will be exploring multi-skills such as running, jumping, skipping, hitting and kicking. We will also be developing skills in decision making and improving our awareness of others during games and activities.

Goldfinch will have PE on a **Wednesday**. Please ensure children come to school in their PE kits for the lesson. Children may wear black pumps or comfortable trainers. Please can you remove any earrings on these days.

Forest School

On a Monday afternoon, your child will be taking part in Forest School activities. Please send your child into school dressed appropriately for outdoor learning on those days.

Diary Dates

25.04.24	SEND Coffee Morning
04.05.24	The Ark Come Dine With Me
24.05.24	Colour Run

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