



What are Willow Class learning in Term 4?

English Class Books



Writing to Entertain Innovate a quest story
Extend vocabulary and develop sentence structure.

Use pronouns to avoid repetition.
Recognise and use a wider range of verb forms (progressive and perfect).

Writing to Inform Diary: Write a diary entry in the role of Marcy.
Continue to develop the use of a wider range of fronted adverbials to add information.
Use conjunctions to extend and link sentences.

Science: Light

Children will recognise different light sources and be able to identify natural and artificial sources. They will develop their understanding of the power of the sun and describe how to protect themselves against the harmful rays.

Through investigation, they will explore how light is reflected off of different materials and they will investigate how shadows are formed and link shadows to the movement of the sun.

What have archaeologists taught us about Ancient Egypt?



Maths

Calculation

- Continue to consolidate understanding of calculation for all four operations.
- Daily multiplication practice – 5 times tables

Fractions

- Recognise, compare and order unit and non-unit fractions.
- Make links between fractions and scales.

Measure

- Measure mass in g and kg.
- Measure capacity in l and ml.

History

The children will learn about the early civilisations of the Ancient Egyptians. They will explore ancient artefacts to help build up a picture of what life was like during that period.

They will look at how the wonder of the pyramids were built long before the time of machinery and explain who and what the pyramids were built for. They will discuss the process of mummification and the Egyptian beliefs that this helped prepare the bodies for the afterlife.

Geography

Explore the location and uses of the River Nile and explain how and why this was so important to the success of the Egyptian civilisations.

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Mechanisms: levers and linkages

The children will design and create their own moving pictures using a range of lever and linkage mechanisms to meet a specific design brief.

P.E.

INVASION GAMES: Football

Fundamental Movement Skills: Sending and receiving/Counter balance

PSHE

Healthy Me

Children will recognise the impact that exercise and a balanced diet has on their bodies and that the calories, fats and sugars that they consume can have a negative impact on their health.

They will discuss their knowledge and attitudes towards drugs – identifying how to keep themselves safe and know where to seek help if they should need it.

Computing

Communication: EMAILS

Explore Outlook and send emails with attachments. They will look at early forms of communication and make comparisons to the forms of communication that we use today.

Music

Pentatonic melodies: learn about music used to celebrate the Chinese New Year. Play a pentatonic melody on a tuned percussion instrument and write/perform pentatonic melodies.

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CHRISTIANITY: What was good about Good Friday? Children recall and sequence key events from the Easter Story.