



Half term overview- Shoots AUTUMN 1



This is Year 3 curriculum overview for the Autumn 1 term. This overview gives you a brief explanation of what the pupils will be doing in school.

Topic Our topic this half term is 'Get ready, stay safe, be healthy' which is a science based topic. Pupils are to experience various types of exercise/sports in order to live a healthy lifestyle. Pupils are to explore personal safety requirements in and around school. Week 1- Introduction to new classes & the new topic Week 2-Body parts Week 3 & 4 - Sport / exercise Week 5- Hygiene - hand & teeth cleaning Week 6- Personal safety Week 7 - Healthy eating 	Maths We follow a weekly cycle covering all aspects of maths. Week 1 - Number Week 2 - Geometry Week 3 - Measure Week 4 - Number Week 5 - Geometry- Position & Direction. Week 6 - Measure Week 7 - Number 	English Each class has chosen a book that the teacher feels suitable for their class. Flamingo - 6 Dinner Sid Kingfisher - Supertato Peacock - 6 Dinner Sid Swan - Titch	Phonics / Reading From week two we will be teaching phonics in differentiated groups within the year group. Some children are at the pre phonics stage learning to identify and discriminate between different sounds. For follow DfE 'Letters & sounds' for this stage. Some children are learning single letter sounds of letters and how to blend these sounds to read words. Sound children are learning 2 and 3 letter digraphs / trigraphs to blend into sounds to read words. We follow the scheme 'ReadWriteInc'. If you want to know where your child fits please ask the teacher via the home communication books All classes have a timetabled reading sessions where they will read or share a book 1:1 with an adult.	Cookery Year 3's cookery focus is Granola with a different flavoured compote; the skills taught are: All - Mix, wash and cut. Most -whisk, be safe in the kitchen, wipe down, Some - Measure using scales, use oven with support and name appliances. Week 2- Apple Week 3 - Red Berry Week 4- Blackberry Week 5- Summer fruits Week 6- Pear Week 7 - Chocolate
 Computing This half term in ICT the theme is 'Mark Making'. Children will use ICT graphics package to explore mark making by using tools in their work. All - Use tools in a range of graphics packages to produce marks - e.g lines / shapes. Some - Use graphics packages to create pictures, changing tool type, colour & effects Most - Use graphics packages purposefully selecting the best tools, use the eraser, vary brush width / style / fill shape. A few - As above plus they will be able to save and retrieve their work.	Expressive Arts All children will be supported to experience typical music, costuming and traditions associated with Cheerleading. It is hoped that all children will respond to the music through the use of their voice or movement possibly showing pleasure or displeasure, some children will be able to learn moves and follow a routine and use the terminology associated with this style of dance.	Year 3 Get ready, stay safe, be healthy  AUTUMN 1 - Overview		PE All classes have two weekly PE slots, led by our PE specialist Maisy. This half term Maisy will start will ball skills. Some children have daily sensory circuits and all classes take part in some morning exercise- which will either be a daily walk or dancing / keep fit exercises in the classroom.
		Dates: Meet the teacher - Dates ASAP Harvest Festival - Training day - Monday 28th October	Trips This half term we will be visiting Futures fun factory. Some classes go to ASDA every week forging community links, learning about money and how to behave in social situations, details via teacher in home communication books. 	