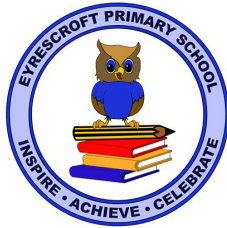


Class Curriculum Information



Year 2
Spring Term 1
2022/2023



Street Detectives

CLASS NOTICES

Class Text

Our class texts are 'The Detective Dog' and 'The Elves and the Shoemaker'.

Reading

All children will read for at least 10 minutes every day in school and we hope parents will do the same at home. Books will be changed on a **Friday** but can be changed on other days if required. The children will have a levelled reader and a reading for pleasure book. Both can be commented on in their reading diary.

PE





PE will take place on **Mondays and Fridays**. Please remember our PE kit is black shorts, leggings or joggers and white t-shirt. We will be outside whenever possible, so trainers would be best. Children can come to school in their kit on PE days.

Homework





Our homework will be sent out every **Friday** returning back into school by the following **Wednesday**. If you have any questions about the homework, please ask.

Please ensure your child brings in a named water bottle everyday.

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

<p>English</p> 	<p>In English this term, we will be focusing on reinforcing the skills for answering questions linked to the text we have read. Our writing will be focused on developing sentence structure by using interesting vocabulary, including adverbs and adjectives. We will be writing more complex sentences using conjunctions to extend our ideas.</p>
<p>Maths</p> 	<p>In Maths we will be developing our multiplication and division skills and learning to apply these skills to problem solving tasks. We will also be learning about properties of 2D and 3D shapes.</p>
<p>Science</p> 	<p>During this half term, the children will be learning about living things and their habitats. We will investigate how plants and animals adapt to their habitats and learn about different food chains in various habitats.</p>
<p>Computing</p> 	<p>This half term, the children will be learning how to create algorithms. We will develop our understanding of instructions in sequences and the use of logical reasoning to predict outcomes. We will also continue the learning about E-safety and how to stay safe when using all types of technology.</p>

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

<p>Geography and History</p> 	<p>In History, we will be looking at the different types of houses that were built in the local area and we will explore changes in the local area over a period of time. In Geography, we will be learning how to read maps; and we will make maps of the local area using keys and will be noting human and physical features.</p>
<p>R.E.</p> 	<p>This term we will learning about the Jewish faith. We will explore some of the objects that might be found in a Jewish home and how they link to daily life. We will also look at key celebrations such as Shabbat and Chanukkah.</p>
<p>DT/Art</p> 	<p>During this half term, the children will explore textiles including learning how to make a simple running stitch They will also design and create their own building, learning to select materials and equipment suitable for the task.</p>
<p>P.E.</p> 	<p>Our PE focus will be Dance and Yoga. Children will explore space and how their body can move to express an idea, mood, character or feeling. They will begin to learn yoga poses and techniques that will help them to connect their mind and body.</p>