

Welcome to Oak Class

Year Six

Welcome to Oak Class! We are looking forward to getting to know you all a little better in the next few weeks. We have a very exciting term ahead of us!

We are Mrs Skeels, Mrs Johnston and Mr Dart



We are looking forward to working with you throughout the year.

Dates for you diary:

2nd September: INSET

3rd September: Children back to school

13th-17th September: Swimming 2-3pm

23rd September: Swimming 2-3pm

25th-30th October: Half term

9th November: Milestones trip

18th December: Last day of Autumn Term

P.E.
Our P.E. days are Tuesdays and Thursdays.
Please send your child's P.E. kit in at the beginning of half term to be left at school until the holidays.
Thank you



Home learning

Thank you for helping your child at home. English, Maths and spelling home learning will be put on Google Classroom each Friday. We expect each activity to take no more than 20 minutes. If your child is struggling, please let us know. Children are expected to read at home every night for at least ten minutes and we would like you to write what they are reading in their communication journals.
Thank you for your support!

Books, books, books!

In September we will be sending home an individual reading book that your child will have read in class, a guided reading book which will have been read in a group as well as a library book each week.

Please support your child by listening to them read these books at home or talking about the texts that they read alone.

We will be regularly checking the communication books so please encourage your child to fill them in.



Please let us know by letter if you wish your child to make their own way home in September. You will be asked to accept our terms and conditions before we allow the children to leave the premises.

We cannot let anyone go without prior written consent even if you are meeting them at the village hall or the Co-op.

Our topic this half term is: Blitz and Pieces

English

In English we will be reading *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe* and exploring 'portals' in our narrative writing for a couple of weeks. We will be reading *Goodnight Mister Tom* and exploring the themes that come through the text.

In P.E., we will be looking at how exercise affects our bodies. We will be doing gym- looking at working as a team as well as practising and refining our positions.



Computing

Be able to use a programming software to generate 3D lettering to be used in our topic for propaganda posters

Mathematics

In Maths, we will be looking at:

- Number
- Place Value
- The four operations
- Problem solving
- Explaining and reasoning

Science

In science, we will be exploring the human body. We will be learning about the cardiovascular and digestive systems and learning how diet, exercise and other habits can affect the body.



History

In history, we will be travelling back in time to uncover some of the secrets of World War II, exploring its causes, chronology and how it affected life in 1940s Britain.

In R.E. we will be learning about creation in Christianity and linking it to other creation stories in Islam and Hinduism.