

OWLS CLASS (Year 2) - Weekly overview



Term 3 Week 5

Friday 7 February 2025	
This week we have been learning about:	
English	Using inference and retrieval to answer comprehension questions. Discussing vocabulary. Drama and making choices for a lead character. Predicting chapters & writing a dialogue Participating in a fabulous writing workshop with children's laureate Joseph Coelho. We are inspired to write next week! Friday diary with a focus on using the present tense 'what is a diary?'
Maths	Started new focus unit on multiplication and division Recognising groups Grouping objects Using repeated addition to find a total of groups Introduction to the multiplication symbol (x) End of Unit assessments.
Science	'Guess Who' – which traits of parents do mammals have? Started to mindmap healthy food options and plan a rainbow plate.
Other Subjects:	PE: Dance - working on cannon and mirroring our moves. Gymnastics Geography: Comparing the North and South Poles - what can be found in the different locations - using atlas and watching clips. Art: using pastels to show both pattern and texture, focusing on animal prints and skins. PSHE: How my friends help me and how I can help others in class Music/Computing: experimenting with composition - recording notes and tempo in chrome music lab - we created a chorus of the different animals (see seesaw for clips). RE: What might Christians do to follow the life of Jesus and bring 'good news' to people? Handwriting: we are focusing on the horizontal join in anticlockwise letters wo and wa.
Other information	SPELLING SHED - please continue to practise spelling rules with fun games and challenges (we reminded children how to log on and play games). In addition to normal PE days on Tuesday (gymnastics) and Thursday(dance), next Friday sees us marking the end of term with our DANCE FESTIVAL. Please come to school wearing PE kits on three days - Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. We will share our dance on seesaw. Friday 14 th February - last day of term. Children return to school on Monday 24 th .

Home learning Task

I've set two pieces of homework on mymaths - one revisiting adding using a numberline and another on money. Please continue to enjoy books with your child - we will be sending home authorisation sheets for Blue Peter reading badges next week. Perhaps you can chat about favourite books and make a note in their reading records.