



OWLS CLASS (Year 2) - Weekly overview



Term 5 Week 5

Friday 17 May 2024 This week we have been learning about:	
English	<p>Listening to a story-starter on NowPressPlay for scene setting</p> <p>Planning a written piece - story-trailing and using language through colour</p> <p>Choosing language carefully in creative writing - Meteor Shower on Moon Garden</p> <p>Comprehension tasks on the Dandelion</p> <p>Using the comparative (eg bigger) and superlative (biggest) in a sentence.</p> <p>Friday diary: sequencing sentences on the theme of "swimming"</p>
Maths	<p>Direction and position:</p> <p>Recap on positional language: above, left, right, between, below, under, next to</p> <p>Visualising movement/direction in a grid.</p> <p>Turns: clockwise and anti-clockwise; quarter, half, three-quarter and full turns</p> <p>Telling the time: hours in the day (* can you spot the time when you do things at home? Have breakfast and dinner? What time are the clubs you attend? What time is bedtime?)</p>
Other Subjects:	<p>PE: trigolf and swimming - floating and travelling on our backs</p> <p>Music: singing to a scale and recognising pitch</p> <p>Handwriting: building on a horizontal join to anticlockwise letters: oc, og, od, va, vo</p> <p>Computing: SCRATCHjnr - coding to make sprite talk through dialogue bubble, interaction between two sprites and a change of background.</p> <p>RE: What do Christians and Jewish people believe about the beginning of the world and how do they think we should treat the world?</p> <p>Art: Completing Graciela Hasper paintings - look out for these on display soon.</p> <p>Geography: The four countries of the United Kingdom - recapping on Capital cities and using N/S/E/W to describe links between cities in different parts of our country. Practical Compass work making shapes on the playground.</p> <p>French: counting to ten in French (Oonagh is already expert!) and completing a little information flower to send to our french pals! We will be reading 'Dear Zoo' in French next week!</p>
Other information	<p>PE this term will continue to be on a Tuesday and Wednesday - Delighted to have started swimming this week (the pool was balmy - thanks to Mr Rayner for getting it ready). Please ensure you have swim kits in on a Wednesday. Please come to school wearing PE kits on both days.</p>

Homework task

Well done OWLS on using spelling shed! We are top of the table - by quite some margin. Please continue to practise the spellings on there.

Next Thursday afternoon we plan to have an end of term teddy-bear picnic (snack & extra play). You are invited to bring in one teddy (you must be able to carry it without it dragging on the floor!) on the Thursday. Depending on weather we might also offer squash to drink or a rocket ice lolly (please can you let the team know if this is not OK).