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Coming up next week...

31.03.25

Maths

Continuing our work on measuring, this week we will be learning about mass and capacity. For mass we will be using the vocabulary: lighter than and heavier than. The children will learn how to use balances and bucket scales to measure and compare different masses. For capacity we will use the vocabulary: full, empty, nearly full and nearly empty. The children will practically explore volume and capacity using a variety of containers in the water tray.

English

This week the children will generate a unique piece of creative writing based on an image of their choice. We will be revisiting our learning on: capital letters, full stops, finger spaces, adjectives and starting to explore conjunctions.

Phonics and Reading

In phonics we will be growing the code: ch (c) school, ch (sh) chef, ze (z) freeze
We will revise the tricky words: eye, once, because, thought, laugh, our.
We will be reading 1:1 this week so please make sure your child has their reading book in their bag every day. Please keep reading at home and record comments on BoomReader.

Topic

In History the children will receive a letter from a character wanting to know more about the Victoria Era. His questions include: Who was significant in the Victorian Era? What changes did Queen Victoria make? Why were inventions made in the Victorian times? (What were the problems?) How do these inventions/changes help us today? (railway network, education)

RE- With reference to the Easter story, the children will create a poster with 2 parts. One half demonstrating that Jesus was human and the other half illustrating that he is God's Son.

PSHE- We will be learning about first aid.

Science- We will be investigating the question: which part of the plant do you eat? We will also be learning about important discoveries made by scientists. E.g. plants can be used in medicines and fabric.

Art- We will be working collaboratively to create a large 3D paper sculpture.

PE- The children will be developing techniques and control when performing shape jumps.

Additional notes and reminders

Request: Please could we have any newspaper's that you have finished with. We have a large scale art project coming up the week beginning 31.3.25. Thank you!

Phonics homework this week has a focus on split digraphs. Play the Roll and Read game we've provided.

Some of you have signed up to join our yoga class on Tuesday. Please, also, let your child know whether you will be attending- so we don't have any disappointment! Thank you!

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Please note that as the week progresses it is sometimes necessary to change what is planned to meet the learning needs of the children and therefore changes to the above may occur.