

Oak Class Spring Curriculum Newsletter

English

Oak will be learning about writing biographies using *Arthur and the Darkest Dark* by Chris Hadfield and writing persuasive texts inspired by *The Paperbag Prince* by Colin Thompson, which will also help us with our guided reading work.

Maths

This term children will be working on percentages, ratio, algebra and shape using *White Rose Maths*.

Science

Oak will be learning about electricity and magnetism.

Religious Education

Oak will be learning about the importance of what Jesus said and did to Christians.

Art

Oak will be exploring how craftspeople and designers bring personality to their work, designing and creating chairs.

History

Oak will be learning about why there are so many castles in Shropshire, who built them and why so many are in ruins.

P.E

Oak will be learning netball and tennis from Mr Andrews this term. PE will be held on Monday and Tuesday afternoons.

Music

Music this term will be taught by Mrs White from Shropshire Music Service. Year 5 and 6 will learn about composing. Year 5 children will have separate whole class instrument lessons using the recorder learning about structure.

Computing

In computing, Oak will be learning about programming using variables in games.

Home support

Parents and carers should listen to their child read aloud daily for 10 to 15 minutes. Please do use the reading record to note when this has happened and to encourage your child to complete reading books quicker. Spellings will be posted on the class webpage for each week.

Contact us

Mr Harris, Mrs Law and Mr Andrews will continue to help your child learn. If there is anything worrying you, please do not hesitate in dropping in at the end of the school day. Alternatively, contact us via the office.