

Dear Families, this term as part of our International Primary Curriculum (IPC) we will be learning and exploring all about:
explorers and adventurous



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Our Educational Visit:
We will be using our orienteering skills in Barkingside Park!

Year 4
Spring 2
(2016-2017)

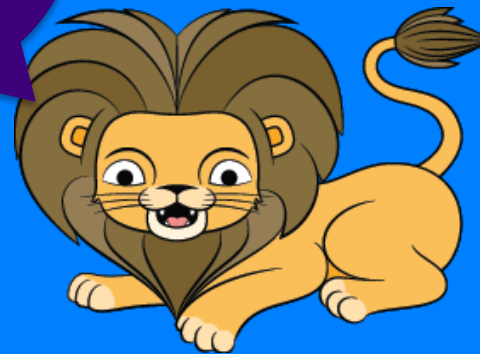
Homework:

We hand out homework on Fridays and collect the homework back in on Wednesdays.

Spellings:

Each week your child would take home a list of words to practise to read, check and spell.

At home: Please support your child to practise spelling daily and also to encourage them to use words to write sentences



Our value this term is:
INTEGRITY



Physical Education (PE) and Yoga:

We have PE on Wednesdays and Mondays.

Please make sure your child has the correct PE kit as shown on our school website and that all kit is clearly labeled.

English:

We will be reading all about famous explorers and discussing their impact on our daily lives.

We will also have Shakespeare week, where we will be reading and writing play scripts.

Spanish:

In this unit we will continue to gain confidence in manipulating numbers and learn further expressions for likes and dislikes. We will begin to learn about the euro.

History and Geography Adventurous and explorers

We will be using maps, atlases, globes and digital/computer mapping to locate countries and describe features studied.

Science: Living things and their habitats

We will be:

- recognising that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways
- exploring and using classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment

Maths:

This term children will be looking at:-

- Addition and Subtraction:
- Multiplication, division, fractions (including decimals and fractions)
- Measurement (converting between cm and mm.)
- Time: Read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12- and 24-hour clocks.

PSHE:

Good to be me!
Focusing specifically on feelings. It explores feelings in the context of the child as an individual, developing self-awareness and helping the child to realise that it really is 'Good to be me'.

Computing:

I Connect:

Unit looks at exploring the difference between the internet and the World Wide Web and involves online surfing, searching and evaluation.

Philosophy, Religious and Ethics (PRE) and Sanskrit:

Chaitanya Mahaprabhu

We will learn about the life of Sri Chaitanya Mahaprabhu. Through acting and retelling stories, pupils will be able to explain the historical and religious significance of his life.

Art & Music:

We will be Appreciating and understanding a wide range of high-quality live and recorded music drawn from different traditions and from great composers and musicians