

Kingfisher Primary School Curriculum Information

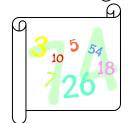
Year	Y2
Term	Spring 2025

Dear Parents

This letter is designed to provide key information about learning this term.

SUBJECT	CONTENT
English	Children will develop skills of speaking and listening for a wide range of purposes in different contexts including role play and poetry. They will read and write for a range of purposes including narratives, recounts, information texts and instructions. Children will continue to develop word recognition decoding (reading) and encoding (spelling). To understand and engage, interpret and respond to texts including fiction, non-fiction, fantasy and fairytales. Children will continue to build on their knowledge of sentence structure, punctuation, grammar and presentation.
Mathematics	In Mathematics, children will deepen their understanding of number and will continue to develop calculation skills including addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. In other areas, the children will develop understanding of shape and measures and to handle data and apply mathematics in various contexts for a range of purposes.
Science	This term, the children will be studying the topic of animals including humans, The children will learn all about the life cycles of various animals, the life process of humans, the importance of staying healthy and how we can achieve this through exercise, a healthy diet and maintaining good hygiene.
Computing	Our topic in Computing this term is 'Technology Around Us'. Children will learn to recognise the uses and features of information technology and explain how information technology can help us. They will also continue to develop their knowledge of how to use technology safely.
Geography	In Geography this term, the children will be exploring the Isle of Coll and comparing the island home with our own locality (Yeovil). They will develop an understanding of the human and physical features of a place and will be able to use maps and atlases to locate other places.
History	In History this term, we will be studying The Great Fire of London. Children will be able to use timelines, sequence main events in chronological order and answer questions about the past using sources. They will develop an understanding of the factors that lead to The Great Fire of London and how the disaster changed London.
RE	God - What do Christians believe about forgiveness?
Music	To develop skills and techniques in music through the study of pulse, rhythm and pitch.
D & T + Art	In D&T this term, we will be designing, making and evaluating our own healthy pizzas based on a design criteria. Children will learn to sort foods into different food groups, make healthy choices and use equipment safely. In Art, the children will continue to develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space. We will learn about a range of famous artists including Robert Delaunay and Max Ernst and attempt to recreate their works.
PE	To develop movement skills and to become increasingly competent with agility, balance and co-ordination (Gymnastics).

Homework



MATHS

Activities to support and enhance classroom learning. Learning number bonds to 10, 20 and 100.

Times tables will be sent home to be learnt for a test on Fridays. (2s, 5s and 10s)



ENGLISH

Activities to support and enhance classroom learning, which may include discussion activities as well as written tasks. Written tasks should be completed using a sharp pencil rather than a pen. This is a good opportunity for children to reinforce good handwriting and accurate spelling. The activities may have a cross curricular link.



SPELLING

Your child will bring home a list of spellings on Fridays. They will need to complete an activity on the spelling sheet.. There will be a spelling test on the following Friday.



READING

Regular reading at home is encouraged; we expect our pupils to read every day at home and at least 3 times a week for 10 minutes to an adult.

Reading record books should be signed by an adult when your child has read to you and returned every day with your child's reading book. These will be checked weekly.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- PE PE is on Mondays and Thursdays.
 Please ensure appropriate kit, including footwear, is named and is in school at all times.
- Outdoor Learning— Outdoor Learning will be taking place again this term. Please can children bring to school appropriate footwear (wellies) and warm, waterproof clothes.
- Homework will be sent home every Friday and is due back the following Thursday.
- Please ensure names are clearly marked in clothing and on bottles and pots.
- Please keep a copy of the spelling list to practise at home once the homework has been handed in