

Curriculum Flyer 2019-2020



Autumn term

Class: 1AK (Miss Kaur) and 1ZI (Mrs Ismail)



Subject	Learning	Ways to support your child at home
Literacy	<p>Capital letters: Children will learn how to use capital letters correctly for names, places, days of the week and the word 'I.'</p> <p>Terminology: Children will be able to use, understand and explain what the following terminology means: letter, capital letter, word, full stop, question mark, exclamation mark, singular, plural and sentence.</p> <p>Capital letters, full stops and adjectives: Children will learn to use these accurately in sentences using certain books and topics to help them.</p> <p>We will also be looking at specific text types such as recounts and cross curricular writing.</p>	<p>Practice using capital letters for different reasons- their name, places, days of the week and the word 'I.'</p> <p>Practice using capital letters, full stops and adjectives in sentences.</p>
Maths	<p>Numeracy will involve number and place value up to 20. We will practice counting to 20, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number. We will focus on adding and subtracting within 10 in different ways. We will focus on identifying 2D and 3D shapes.</p>	<p>See Maths homework set for the term.</p>
Science	<p>Sorting Materials: The children will investigate, describe and sort various materials.</p> <p>Seasonal changes: We will discuss differences between weather and climate and explain what a weather forecast is.</p>	<p>Ask your child to look for different types of materials in your house. Discuss the weather.</p>
Computing	<p>Basic Computer Skills: The children will continue to develop basic keyboard and mouse skills. They will use simple software to enter data to create graphs or pictograms.</p> <p>The children will also get the opportunity to use a variety of different ICT based technologies to take photographs and edit basic information.</p>	<p>Encourage your child to further develop their typing skills at home.</p>
R.E Religious Education	<p>Signs and symbols: We will look at artefacts from different faiths</p> <p>Festivals and celebrations: We will look at festivals and celebrations from different faiths.</p>	<p>Talk to your child about different artefacts and festivals.</p>
P.E Physical Education	<p>Ball Skills: The children will learn and develop ball skills including; striking, throwing and fielding.</p> <p>Dance: We will look at different styles of cultural dance.</p>	<p>Discuss with your child which sports or games they like best.</p>
P.S.H.C.E Personal Social Health	<p>Happy and sad: We will discuss feelings we experience when we experience different events.</p>	<p>Discuss the importance of rules.</p>

& Citizenship Education	Keeping safe: We will discuss fire safety, road safety and people who help keep us safe.	
Art	Drawing: Children will learn to use thin and thick lines and show pattern and texture by adding dots and lines. Collage: We will use different materials of different shades of colour to create a collage.	Encourage your child to look at pictures and describe features.
D.T.	Homes: We will create a model of our home. Children will need to describe what they like about their work and how they can improve it.	
History	Me and my home: Children will learn differences between their life, their parent's life and their grandparent's life when at school.	Talk to your parents and grandparents about what life was like when they were little.
Music	Rock/Bossa Nova genres: We will listen to these genres of music.	Listen to some music and clap the rhythm.

Ways to support your child at home:

Visit the library regularly.

Read daily with your child, asking questions about the text eg characters, feelings, events in the story etc. Practise reading and spelling high frequency words. Support your child to complete their homework, encourage them to work independently with your support where needed (eg correct letter formation, neat handwriting, capital letters and full stops).

Homework Packs

In order for homework to have clear purpose and to accommodate and ensure flexibility with time for all families, we are introducing homework packs for each half term. Your child will receive a homework pack appropriate for their needs with guidance on how you can support your child at home. The dates for returning the homework will be stated on the guidance sheet. The homework tasks will be shared with the children before they are sent out.

Writing and Maths books will go home each week on a **Tuesday**. Please read and review the books and return the next morning on **Wednesday**. It is important they are brought back on time so that the children are able to continue to work in their books during lesson time. Essentially, this is to help parents/carers get a clear view of the work carried out in lessons. It is crucial that parents recognise that the core purpose behind this initiative is to support **discussion**. It will also provide you with the opportunity to review books prior to Parents' Evening. As the children use these books every day, they **must** be returned to school with your child the following morning. The information in these books is used to help us create a true assessment of your child's learning level and progress. If they are not returned then we will be unable to provide accurate information. We would also advise that if the books are lost then books will not be sent home in the future.