

General Information

P.E. will continue to take place weekly on Fridays. When the weather allows P.E. will take place outside so please ensure your child has a T-shirt, shorts and plimsolls or trainers.

For the first half term only P.E. will also take place weekly on a Thursday.

A class trip will be arranged during the summer term. Details will be given nearer the time.

Please remember to send your child with a named sun hat on hot, sunny days to help your child stay protected when participating in activities in our outside area and at playtime.

Thank you for your continued support. If you have any queries or concerns about your child, please come and see me so we can resolve the matter together.

Mrs E Riches

LIONEL WALDEN PRIMARY SCHOOL



LINK-UP SUMMER TERM 2018

Reception - Mrs Riches

Prime Areas

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Through this area of the curriculum, the children will focus on building their confidence to try new activities, talk confidently in a familiar group expressing their own ideas and thoughts and be able to independently select the resources they need for a chosen activity. The children will be expected to work as part of a group or class and understand and follow the rules, talk about their own and others' behaviour and its consequences and know some behaviour is unacceptable.

Physical Development

P.E. will focus on games and athletics skills, increasing the control and co-ordination in large and small movements. We will use a range of equipment to develop skills in throwing, catching and kicking. The children will collaborate with each other in throwing, rolling, fetching and receiving games encouraging the children to play with one another once their skills are sufficient. The children will continue to develop their fine motor skills to aid their letter formation.

Communication and Language

Throughout this term, the children will develop their skills to express themselves effectively showing an awareness of the listeners' needs and use past, present and future forms accurately when talking about events that have happened or are to happen in the future. They will learn to follow a series of instructions and answer 'how' and 'why' questions related to their own experiences and in response to stories and events.

Specific Areas

Literacy

Through Literacy lessons, the children will continue to work on developing their phonic, reading and speaking and listening skills and using a variety of cues when reading. The children will develop skills to write more independently using their phonic knowledge and simple words learnt developing their skills to write simple sentences. They will continue to develop handwriting skills, writing both lower and upper case letters. Please continue to support your child with their reading book and tin activities at home.

Mathematics

In Maths lessons this term, the children will continue to develop their number skills by counting, reading and writing numbers to at least 20 and then beyond. The children will work on addition and subtraction by counting on and back and solve problems, including doubling, halving and sharing. We will also work on 2D and 3D shapes and weighing and measuring.

Understanding the World

We will focus on two topics this term, 'Wild and Wonderful' and 'Out and About'. The children will find out about and identify features of mini beasts and locate them in the local environment. They will observe similarities, differences, patterns and change. We will focus on journeys made locally, for example, to school and journeys made further afield such as to go on holiday. We will look at past and present forms of transport and how they have changed overtime.

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will have the opportunity to represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design, art and music. They will experience painting, drawing, textiles and design. The children will also make 3D models using reclaimed materials based on the topics.