

ASH CLASS - AUTUMN TERM 1

Maths

This half term we will be learning about **number and place value to 10, number and place value to 20, addition and subtraction as well as 2D and 3D shapes**. We will be using hands on activities to support our learning in Maths.

Phonics

We will have daily phonics sessions recapping over **Phase 3**.

Music

The children will be exploring pulse and rhythm as part of our **'Move to the beat'** topic.

PSHE

The children will learn about what makes us all unique, how to understand their feelings and having empathy with others as part of our **'Being Me in My World'** unit.

Geography

Within our topic **'Where do I live?'**, the children will explore our local area, including the school environment, draw maps using a simple key and compare locations.

Computing

Our topic for this term is **'Online Safety'**. We will be using Smartie the penguin stories to support our learning surrounding online safety.

RE

Christianity

The children will be exploring the question: **'Why is belonging to God and the church family important to Christians?'**

English

This half term we shall be learning about **'Defeating the monster tales'**. We shall write setting and character descriptions. We shall focus on many characters from texts including **'The Enormous Crocodile,' The Three Pigs'** and **'The Twits'**. Our non-fiction focus will be **persuasive writing**.

Science

Our topic this half term is **'Animals including Humans'**. The children will learn how to identify and name common animals and classify animals into simple groups as well as identifying, labelling, naming and drawing animal body parts and human body parts.

PE

TUESDAYS and THURSDAYS

The children will be developing their **ball skills** and their **fundamental skills** (such as jumping, skipping, hopping, running and balance).

DT

The children will be learning how to create **3D models** from different media including salt dough and clay.

REMINDERS

HOMEWORK: Set every Thursday to be handed in the following Thursday.

READING: Children should have read their book 3 times with an adult before changing their reading book in school.