



Learning Together: Working as One
Aspire: Believe; Succeed; Excel

Ducklings



April 2022 Summer Term Superheroes



This term we will be learning about significant people throughout history who were the 'Heroes' of their time, such as Florence Nightingale. The topic will explore many of the public services and other people who help us, with the aim to aspire the children to become Superheroes themselves.



We are also hoping to have some visitors into school. In art and design we will be creating our own Superhero character, thinking about their special powers and designing and creating a vehicle for them.

English- This term we are looking at stories with morals so we will be exploring many different fables. We will also be looking at explanation texts and these will be linked to our Superheroes topic.

We will be encouraging all of the children to use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

Year 1's will be concentrating on writing more and longer sentences ready for year 2. They will read their sentences to themselves and others to make sure that they make sense.

Maths- We are still following the NCETM mastering numbers for both reception and Year 1 children, alongside this the reception children will be looking at numbers beyond 10, adding more and taking away, shapes and odd and even numbers.

Year 1 will be exploring 2D and 3D shapes, money, looking at place value, counting in multiples of twos and fives and using the four different operations $+$, $-$, \times , \div .

PE- Please ensure that your child has a PE kit in school every day. We currently have PE on a Wednesday but that can change. Our Forest school day is on a Monday, long trousers and suitable footwear is required.

It can be chilly in school so a jumper/cardigan is advisable and a coat for outside, as the weather improves can you also send in a sunhat.

Homework- Please read with your child as often as you can. Each week they will have a book linked to their phonics and also a book that they choose to share, these need to be returned each week. They all will have a spelling test on a Friday. Year 1's will also have relevant phonics words/ sounds sent home in preparation for the phonics screen test in June.