



Beech



SUMMER 2 NEWSLETTER 2022

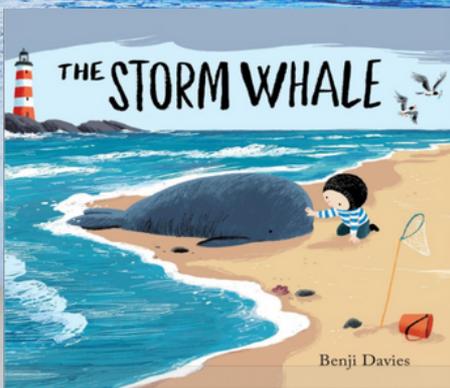
This half term we will be looking at life in the past and how children travelled, learned and lived in the past. We will have the opportunity to visit the Rural Life Museum where we will see how clothes were washed and how different house work was done before electricity. Life as a child then was quite different to now. We will also be exploring the properties of different materials in Science and DT.



Carry out a great investigation!



Talk 4 Writing



This term we will be continuing our Talk 4 Writing journey by writing a 'finding' tale based on the book the Storm Whale by Benjie Davies. The children will use simple substitution of the characters, setting and problem to write their own 'finding' tale. They will then write their own exciting story based on the finding tale plot. They will then get to read their stories to the children in Hazel class and Ash class. This gives them a real purpose for writing. They will create their illustrations using the adjectives from their stories to help them.

Maths

Year 1

Continue to work on Number and Place Value, extending to 100. Introducing fractions and learning about time, money, volume, capacity and mass.

MATHS NO PROBLEM!

Year 2

Continue with Number and Place Value to 100. We will be looking at fractions, time, volume, shape and money. We will be using these skills within problem solving contexts.

Dates for the Diary



06/06/22 - School Photographer
Open Classrooms 2.30-3.15pm
10/06/22 - FOSMAS ice pop sale 2:45pm
16/06/22 - Rural Life Centre Trip
17/06/22 - FOSMAS ice pop sale 2:45pm
23/06/22 - Sports Day
24/06/22 - INSET
28/06/22 - Bump up Day
01/06/22 - FOSMAS ice pop sale 2:45pm
08/06/22 - FOSMAS ice pop sale 2:45pm
18/07/22 - The Fantastic Fred Experience
22/07/22 - Last Day of Term 1.15pm Finish

Our value this half
term is:
Courage

Things to remember:

Fingers crossed that the weather begins to improve, but it is still unpredictable. Please send in a pair of wellies to keep in school and ensure your child comes in each day with a rain coat and sun hat just in case! Please also apply sun cream before school. All children must have a water bottle in school daily.

Our class PE days are Monday and Thursdays, but please keep your PE kit in school every day in case of changes. Make sure you have a pair of socks, if you are wearing tights, and a pair of trainers or plimsolls that fit. Please could you also remember to take earrings out on these days.



In Year Beech Class we expect the children to read for 10 minutes every day. Our Little Wandle books are a great hit with the children and they should be fluent in them when they bring them home to you. Please continue to record their reading on our Go Read App as we keep a record and of their reading and monitor their progress.

Year One children should play Hit the button and practice their number bonds to 10 and 20.

Year 2 children will continue to use Timetables Rock Stars to build their fluency.

We will also be sending home spellings for Year 2 to be tested on a Friday.

How to help at home...

You can help your child at home by playing games, cooking, gardening, chatting together, looking for the positive, and helping them to get ready for school the night before so that the mornings are calmer. Smile!



TRICK BOX



We will continue to use the Trickbox strategies to help with emotional management and personal development. Ask your children for details about what we have been learning this half term. More info at <https://trickbox.co.uk>