

Cleves Primary School

Welcome to school. Our theme for this term is 'Adventures'. We will create a range of opportunities for children to explore natural environments and discuss their findings. We are keen to encourage parents and carers to help in their child's learning at home and as such we are providing you with this overview of what we shall be teaching at school. We also value any resources that you can contribute related to any of our topics. If you have any queries please feel free to have a chat with us.

Year group: NURSERY

<u>Mathematics</u>	<u>Literacy and Communication</u>	<u>Understanding the World</u>
<p>This term we are focussing on reciting numbers in order, counting objects, recognition and formation of numbers.</p> <p>We will develop an understanding of this area through counting activities, number rhymes, stories and songs. During next half term we will be learning to use mathematical language to describe shapes e.g. corners, sides, edges, straight, curved, pointy, long, short etc. We will also focus on describing positions-on, inside, outside, under, behind, next to.....etc.</p>	<p>In Literacy we will be focusing on describing main events and characters in stories and encouraging children to predict outcomes. We will support them to understand what a word is by using names and labels and by pointing out words in the environment and in books. We will also support children to write their names.</p> <p>There will be opportunities to recite, sing and role play Nursery rhymes.</p> <p>We will continue to work on using phonics to support reading and writing.</p>	<p>Our main focus is on forest, sea and space adventures. We will be finding out features of these natural environments. Children will be encouraged to share personal adventure stories.</p> <p>Next half term we will focus on people who help us- doctors, paramedics, police, fire fighters etc.</p> <p>Celebrations- Eid and Easter</p>
<u>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</u>	<u>Physical Development</u>	<u>Expressive Arts and Design</u>
<p>This term, children will work with peers on creative projects relating to our theme on adventures-e.g, building caves, creating sea scenes etc. We will continue to promote good relationships with peers through turn-taking and good speaking and listening skills.</p> <p>Next half term, we will focus on people who help us. We will engage in activities encouraging children to show care and concern for people animals and the environment. We will encourage children to develop confidence speaking to others about their needs, wants, interests and opinions.</p>	<p>Our focus this term will be to explore the different ways of moving on climbing equipment. Children will use their bodies to create different movements-e.g. movements in space, sea, jungles etc.</p> <p>We will support children to use tools such as scissors safely and with increasing control.</p> <p>Next half term we will focus on racing games and activities as a way of learning to move fast and safely during emergencies. Link to ambulances, police cars etc.</p>	<p>For our creative development we will be using our imaginations to role play scenes from familiar stories.</p> <p>We will engage in imaginary adventures to space, forest, sea etc.</p> <p>Children will be encouraged to create simple representations of events, people and objects.</p> <p>We will ensure all children wear aprons yet accidents do happen. Please dress your child appropriately.</p>

We will be collecting in Reading Books and Homework Books on Tuesday and they will be given out with new homework on a Friday