

LIMES CLASS Newsletter

January 2020



This term our topic is 'Charlie and the Chocolate Factory' and our weekly lessons will include:



Snack/Cookery/Tactile - Snack money is £2 per week. This helps us to cover the cost of snack food, cooking ingredients and tactile materials and enables these valuable sessions to continue. You can either send money in weekly or termly.

Cookery - will take place on a Thursday or Friday (tactile experiences with food also happen on a regular basis in Limes Class)

RE - This term we will explore and experience 'What does it mean to be part of a Muslim family?' and look at our own families and that of the wider community.

English - Stories with familiar settings including stories set on a farm, in a home or the woods. Stories about Fantasy Worlds including the magical world in Charlie and the Chocolate Factory.

Instructions about making things and writing instructions. Developing skills to explore how to use a Dictionary and use books based on Drama to tell and act out stories and plays.

We will continue to practise our phonics, naming letters, saying the sound and exploring how to form the letter.

Maths - We shall start the term developing our skills in number, time, money and properties of shape. Later in the term we will explore length, mass and capacity and multiplications and fractions through practical maths.

Science - We shall study the topic Rocks & Soils by comparing and grouping rocks, properties and formation, soil and fossils. During the second part of the term we are working on the topic State of Matter where we will group solids, liquids and gases, evaporation and condensation through experiments and exploration through hands on experiences.

Computing - Programming will enable us to use a device to make something move and begin to make something move using instructions. Communication and Collaboration and e-safety will enable us to use computers and the internet safely.

PSHE - We will be considering how we can recycle and reuse items rather than throwing away and affecting our environment. We shall be taking care of ourselves by learning about the safe use of medicines.

PE - In PE we working on skills that involve us using dance, music and movement. We shall also continue to take part in 5-A-Day exercises daily and use the large apparatus and open space at playtimes to keep fit and healthy.

Many thanks from The Limes Class Team, Class Teachers Donna (Mon and Wed), Emma (Tue, Thur & Fri), and Support Staff Beth Level 3, Sharon, Beata and Heidi

Please get in touch either via your child's home/school book or telephone, if you need to ask us anything.