Numeracy and Mathematics

Children will be developing skills in:

- Place value- numbers up to 10,000
- Expressions and equations
- Patterns and relationships
- Estimating and rounding
- Mental maths strategies
- Problem solving strategies

Work will be differentiated so that children are challenged at a pace appropriate to their learning

Health and Wellbeing

Children will be developing skills in:

- Understanding and discussing emotions through our Emotion Works programme
- Their knowledge of the rights of the child
- Using growth mindset language
- · Protective behaviours

In P.E children will be developing skills in

- · Controlling the ball with their feet
- Keeping fit

Children are reminded to come to school in their outdoor gym kit on a Friday.

The Mindset Mantras for this term are:

August- Teaching/learning is a practice, not a perfection

September-Everyone can learn

October- My brain is like a muscle that grows

The Rights we will be learning about this term are:

August- Article 15- I have the right to meet with friends and to join groups

September-Article 19- I have the right to be protected from being hurt or badly treated

October- Article 31- I have the right to relax and play

Homework

Monday- Reading homework and optional spelling homework

Tuesday- Reading homework

Wednesday- Reading homework

Thursday- Reading and Numeracy homework

The jotters and sheets provided for homework should not be handed back into school. If you wish you can post a photo of the homework on teams

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Dates for your Diary

- September Weekend- Friday 24th and Monday 27th September
- October week- 11th-15th October
- Flu immunisations- 17th November

<u>ICT</u>

- Research skills using search engines to find information
- How to keep safe on the internet
- Word processing adding and editing text in a word document
- Explore latest technology and how it has developed

Literacy

Children will be developing skills in:

- Phonemes and spelling. They will use a variety of active strategies to enhance learning
- Understanding of texts using different reading strategies
- Exploring a variety of texts
- Using VCOP to develop and enhance writing
- Sentence structure and punctuation
- Listening and Talking
- Cursive handwriting

French

Children will be developing skills in:

- Greetings
- Numbers to 20
- Days of the week
- Months of the year

Outdoor Learning

Children will be developing skills in:

- Co-operation
- Communication
- Listening and Talking
- Mindfulness
- Active literacy
- Active numeracy
- Drama

Interdisciplinary Topic

Our areas of focus this session will be The Vikings and Robert Owen. Children will:

- Understand who Robert Owen was and why he is important to our school
- Learn how The Vikings lived
- Compare and discuss similarities and differences between their lives today and the lives of The Vikings
- · Learn all about their customs and culture