



Frog Class Newsletter Spring Term 2024

Happy New Year from Frog Class!

We hope you have all had a good break and enjoyed spending time with your family. We look forward to learning and achieving new things in the year ahead.

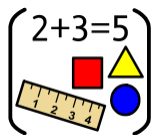
Frog Class is part of Pathway 3 in school, our class teacher is **Mr Robinson**, supported by **Mrs Oakley** and **Mrs Simpson**.



Phonics & Reading: We will continue to have phonics and reading sessions throughout the term. This will take place every day. Each learner will be working at their individual level throughout the lessons. We are continually working on segmenting and blending to allow for us to read and write new words. We strive for every child to have a love for reading and sharing books.



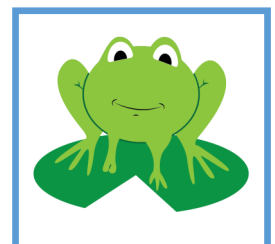
English including Communication: During the term, we shall be looking at a range of stories that link with our topic. We will complete a range of pre-writing and writing activities that relate to each story. The children will continue to work on their individualised language targets. Our classroom is set up to be a total communication environment which supports all of our needs and levels.



Maths: In Maths we will continue to be working on our number and place value skills alongside Shape, Space and measure and also Using and Applying. Over the term we will explore shape, size, mass, position and direction, time, money and pattern. We will also complete focused learning tasks to develop our using and applying skills that will promote our life long skills linked to maths.



Jigsaw: Our Jigsaw themes for this term are; 'Dreams and Goals' and 'Healthy Me'. During these sessions we will be working together and individually to share our thoughts and ideas and complete tasks and activities.





Our topic is Superheroes Rule!

We will be reading and exploring various stories and texts together that link to our themes. Some of these will include, Superkid, 10 Little Superheroes, Even Superheroes have a bad day, Superhero Mum, Superworm and Supertato. If you would like the full list of texts we will be using please let us know and we will share this with you to support in reading these at home.

	<p>Science Through scientific activities we will be learning about pushes and pulls, magnets, electricity and circuits.</p>
	<p>Humanities Our topic work in this area will link to learning about the UK, transport, rivers and mountains and the famous inventor <i>George Stephenson</i>.</p>
	<p>Computing We will continue to develop our computing skills through using various equipment and devices. We shall also be working on how to keep safe when using a range of technology.</p>
	<p>Art & Music In Art we will be looking at 'Pop Art' and comics. We will have lots of fun creating our own. In Music we will be exploring a range of percussion instruments and</p>
	<p>RE We will be learning about what makes a good leader and will link to this to religious figures and roles.</p>
	<p>PE Our PE sessions will promote and develop our skills in <i>Gymnastics</i> and movements. We will also be learning to play <i>dodgeball</i> and work as a team.</p>
	<p>Life Skills In the first half of the spring term, we will be working in the forest, following on from this we will be completing cooking activities and learning about hygiene</p>
	<p>British Values (Personal Development) including planned trips We will be exploring and working through our list of '101 things to do at Woodsetton' over the term. We also hope to go on a visit linked to our topic themes.</p>
	<p>Home Learning Reading Eggs/Maths Seeds and please read with your child at home, either their school book or a book they enjoy sharing with you.</p>
	<p>Our class email is: frogs@woodsetton.dudley.sch.uk The school email is: info@woodsetton.dudley.sch.uk Please use the home/school book to inform us of any important information. Please call the school office if you any need any support. 01384 818265</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Thankyou for your ongoing support.</p>