

Literacy

We will be listening to and retelling lots of stories. Our key texts are; ‘Whatever Next’ and ‘Somebody Swallowed Stanley’. We will continue writing about our news from home. This term we have begun our phase 3 phonics and will be learning new digraphs (two letters making one sound) and trigraphs (three letters making one sound) and applying our new phonic knowledge to help us develop our writing.

Maths

This term will be continuing to subitise, asking them to say what they can see and how they see it. We will focus in depth on numbers 6 to 10 and also look at doubling and halving, pattern and 3D shapes.

Understanding the World

We will explore seasonal change in winter and spring. We will be blasting off into space and learning about the moon. Once back on Earth we will find out how we can help to look after our planet and ourselves. The values of perseverance and justice will be our focus this term, learning what they mean and developing our skills and knowledge. We will be visiting The Deep with our friends from Riston. We will learn about Shrove Tuesday, the Easter Story and take part in our Easter Service.

Expressive Art & Design

This term we will be recycling and upcycling in our craft work. We will be learning new songs, dances and poems and cooking pancakes for Shrove Tuesday. We will explore the Van Gough painting ‘Starry Night’ and create our own representations of the famous painting.

Physical Development

We will continue with PE sessions on Thursday and Friday afternoons. Coach Bob is teaching dance this half term. Our fine motor skills will continue to develop as we focus on our letter formation. The continued development of our outside area has given us much more space to develop our gross motor skills.

Personal, Social, Emotional Development

We will continue to build our resilience and perseverance, keeping going when tasks become tricky. We will become more independent in looking after our own belongings and coming into class on a morning.

Communication & Language

This term, as well as learning lots of new vocabulary we will be focusing on our speech sounds to help with our phonics. We will be encouraging lots of talking and storytelling. We will be developing our listening skills to help us follow instructions in class and during lessons like P.E.

**Hedgehogs**

Spring Term

What is our World?



**Welcome to 2023**

We have a very busy and exciting term ahead! We look forward to sharing our learning with you. Highlights of our learning will be posted on Tapestry and don’t forget to check our school Twitter @SiggsCEPrimary