

Curriculum Newsletter

Poppy Class Summer 2019

Welcome back to the new term, we are really looking forward to the warmer weather. We hope that you have all had a good Easter and an enjoyable holiday together. This term we are learning about Superheroes, both in stories and in our real lives. This will include a focus on real life heroes such as doctors and nurses, the fire service and the police. If you know of anyone who works within these or any other related services and would be willing to come in, please let us know. In the second half of the term our topic will be 'Journeys'. We will be focussing on preparing the children for their transitions into Year 1 and any journeys they will be taking in their summer holidays. Thank you also to all the parents who are accessing and commenting on their child's Learning Journeys on Tapestry.

Communication, Language and Literacy

- Write for different purposes including: lists, instructions, letters and information books. With a focus on using hot words and phonics to sound out simple and complex words in a sentence.
- Learn new vocabulary and use it confidently.
- Use past and present tense correctly when talking about events.

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'Superheroes' and 'Journeys'

Mathematics

- Apply counting skills when calculating additional and subtraction.
- Use the language of comparison such as 'heavier', 'lighter', "fewer" and "more than".
- To begin to use language for sharing, doubling and halving.
- To identify and describe 3D shapes.

Understanding the World

- Show an interest in different occupations and ways of life.
- Talk about some of the similarities and differences in relation to living things and the world around us.
- Observe the natural world describing what they see. Showing care and concern about the living environment.
- Finding out facts about people and animals in our environment.

Important Dates

Thursday May 23rd- Superhero/
People who help us dress up day

Other dates, including sports day,
to follow.

How you can help at home

- Please continue to help your child learn the Red Words.
- Spend time completing their Home Learning Book.
- Please ensure that your child has a suitable PE kit.
- Share Tapestry with your child, celebrating their achievements.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Handling and dealing with conflict for themselves.
- Develop respect for others views and beliefs.
- Work cooperatively as a class taking turns.
- Be confident to try new activities and have a positive self-image.

Physical Development

- Show good control and co-ordination in large and small movements.
- Understand the importance of keeping healthy.
- Explores how to use different P.E equipment by travelling under, over and through.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Use our imaginations in art and design.
- Create different sound patterns with different instruments and experiment with the different sounds instruments can make.
- Explore and use different textures to make creations.

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Do you like the new look of the newsletter? Yes / No
Would you change anything, if so what:

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We really appreciate your feedback so that we can continue to give you as much information as possible about your child's learning at Christ the Sower School. Many thanks.

