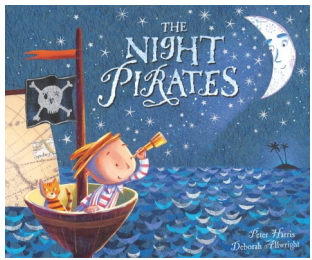




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Reading

Phonics will continue on a daily basis this term as well as some small group phonics activities. Reading workshop will also continue every day. We will continue to focus on recognising the first 100 high frequency words and also to be able to apply our reading and phonics knowledge into our independent reading.



English

This half term we will be reading stories about Pirates, starting with the book 'The Night Pirates'. In the first couple of weeks we will be looking at story writing. Towards the end of this term, we will then move on to look at simple poetry and have a go at writing our own poem. We will continue learning how to construct simple sentences and practice incorporating the spelling rules we have learnt into our writing.

Meet the Team!

Team Leader: Kate Read

Teaching Staff: Lizzie Maryon-Davies, Marion Stableford, Jas Bains and Boe Omunnakwe.

Support Staff: Jay Draper, Heather Drewry, Nadine Burns and Chantella Martin.

Mathematics

This half term we are continuing and extending our work on the following: reading, writing and ordering numbers 1 to 100, number bonds to 10 and 20, place value, addition and subtraction, introducing simple multiplication and division, looking at simple fractions, time, position and direction. We will continue exploring word problems and will be carrying out some investigations over the half term.

Supporting Your Child's Learning at Home

Please continue to read with your child on a daily basis - both their reading book we have sent home as well as real books.

Please see your child's teacher if you cannot find the login and password for your child's Mathletics account. Please log on every week for your child's Maths home learning.

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Science

This half term we will be learning about plants and humans. We will be exploring what plants need to grow and do some planting of our own. We will also be learning about the human body; including our senses, identifying simple parts of our body and how to be healthy.

Topic

This term our learning will be centred around the theme of 'Pirates'. As well as all the trips we have planned, we will be exploring the history of Pirates and the Golden Hinde with links to Francis Drake. We will also be designing and making our own pirate hats and flags.

Educational Visits

We have a jam packed half term full of trips and visitors. We have been lucky enough to be offered free tickets to see Hansel and Gretel and the Albany theatre in week 2. We will be visiting the Golden Hinde in week 3 and RSPB will be visiting for a workshop in week 5. All of this, as well as our usual visits to the library and park!