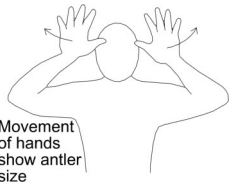


Core signs for our topic this term.



Our topic this term is 'Sub Zero', here are some related signs for you to practice.

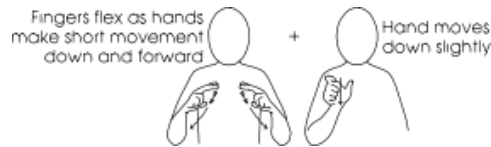
Reindeer



Winter



Explorer



Snow



Christmas



Don't forget to say the words as you sign!



Robin Class

Information for parents

Term 2
November 2024



Class Teacher and TAs

Clare Aley (Class teacher)
Anna Vitalis (Form Tutor)
Brandon Mace (TA)
Hannah Dyne (TA)
Jane O'Sullivan (TA)



Regular events:

Monday: PE
Wednesday: Music
Thursday: PE Enrichment

General Information

Welcome to Robin class! We are a year 9 class of 14 students.

Please use the Home/School Journals to liaise with us and let us know if you have any questions. Please ensure that your child has the appropriate named clothing for activities we are doing this year such as PE and PE enrichment.

A reading book will be provided for you to read with your child at home, along with a reading record for you to use to support this. Please support your child to read as much as possible this can be books, comics and non-fiction texts.

Curriculum information

This term our topic is 'Sub Zero'. We will be reading a range of texts where we will be learning about the Great Explorers. We will be linking our work in English to this exciting topic.

English

In English we will be focusing on how to structure sentences. As well as consolidating our phonic knowledge within our written work, Robin Class will have daily reading sessions.

We will be following a number of texts which link to our topic of 'Sub Zero' such as 'What Can You See in Winter' by Sian Smith and 'The Great Explorer' By Chris Judge.

As part of our topic we will look at newspaper articles on expeditions to the North Pole and we will be writing our own travel guide to a winter destination of our choosing.



Maths

In Maths, we will be continuing to develop our understanding of place value before moving on to addition and subtraction. We will be using a variety of concrete resources throughout the term to help embed the pupils understanding.



Music

Robin class will be working towards their Christmas performance through personalised musical targets. This will include the use of tuned instruments, singing, and signing.



Art

This term Robin class will be looking at, designing and making seasonal decorations. We will be using a range of materials including those naturally sourced and will be working with, and exploring a range of effective art tools.



Food Technology

Running alongside our Preparation for Adulthood subject, this term in Food Technology we will be looking at how food should be hygienically stored and prepared.



PSHE/RSE

This term we will continue to learn about family values and how to maintain healthy relationships as well as ways to keep ourselves safe in unfamiliar places.



Preparation for Adulthood

This term we will be looking at food hygiene along with health and safety when preparing and storing food.



Physical Education

This term, for PE we will be concentrating on team games and how we can work as part of a team.



Religious Education

In RE we will be sharing stories that help to show how Muslims think of God and how following God shows them ways to behave.



Computing

Robin class will have a weekly computing lesson, allowing us to upskill our ICT skills. This term we will be developing our word processing skills.



Careers

For careers this term we will be looking at pre-employability skills and how we can find work.

