

Core signs for our topic this term.



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

Mountain



Snow



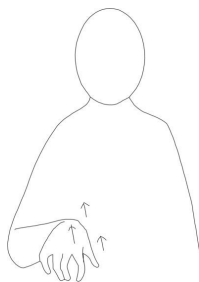
Cold



Polar Bear



Ice



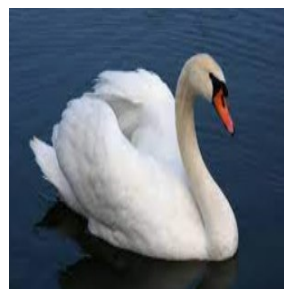
Don't forget to say the words as you sign!



Swan Class Information for parents Term 2 2024/25

Class Teacher and TAs

Liz Best (Teacher)
Laura Back (TALL)
Janice Wadsworth (TA) Mon-Thurs
Courtney Clare (TA)



Regular events:

Monday: PE
Thursday: PE Enrichment
Friday: Combined Arts Award

General Information

Welcome back to Term 2.
Swan class have settled in well and have worked hard to establish a good routine.

This term will be busy with lots of fun activities leading up to Christmas including the Christmas production and the Christmas Fayre.

Homework and Contact

Thank you for using the Home/School Journals. The comments we receive are really helpful and highlight how a pupil may require extra support during the day. Please do let us know if you have any concerns. Please read/ share a book with your child every night. Please ensure that your child has the appropriate named clothing for activities we are carrying out, such as: PE kit, wellies, coats and jumpers.

Functional English

This term our theme will be Arctic Animals. We will be exploring *The Last Bear* in English as well as various non-fiction texts about Arctic animals. Pupils will be using these texts to explore poetry, diary entries, formal letters as well as other forms of writing.

The pupils will continue to develop their reading comprehension skills through a range of fiction and non-fiction genre, focusing on extracting information from straight-forward texts.

Pupils will have the opportunity to practise their speaking and listening skills through role play, discussions and debates around real life familiar topics.



Functional Maths:

This term pupils will be strengthening place value knowledge as well as developing their number skills such as, addition, subtraction and multiplication. In addition to this we will also be developing our problem solving and mental maths skills.



Digital Skills:

This term pupils be learning how stay safe online. They will learn how to stay safe when using online communities and how to share information safely. We will be exploring our roles and responsibilities online, including how to report inappropriate content.

PSHE/RSE:

This term pupils will be learning about different types of relationships including, consent, friendships, healthy/unhealthy relationships and sexual relationships.

Preparation for Adulthood:

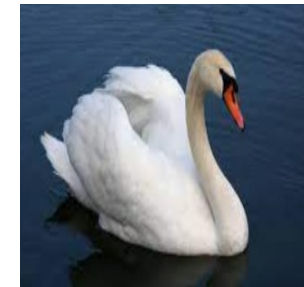
This term pupils will be learning about basic first aid and how to treat minor injuries at home.

They will learn how to identify hazards at home and at school as well as how to keep themselves safe when treating an injury.



Employability:

This term pupils will be learning about the importance of communication in the work place. They will be practising how to listen and follow instructions in different work place scenarios. They will also be learning how to give and receive feed-back to colleagues.



Physical Education:

Pupils will have a PE lesson every Monday. They will develop their gross motor skills and co-ordination. Please ensure your child has a named PE kit which can stay in school.

Religious Education:

In R.E. pupils will be learning about how people from religious and non-religious communities celebrate key festivals. They will compare and contrast different festivals and learn about their traditions.



Sports Enrichment

PE Enrichment will be every Thursday afternoon. Pupils will choose an activity from a range including boxing, cycling, ice skating and others for the term.

Term 6:
Arctic Animals