

Acorn Class Summer 2023

Welcome Back Acorn Class!

Welcome back to the final term of the academic year- your first year at school! This year has flown so fast but we still have plenty time for lots of exciting adventures. We have started our term with 'sheep tracking' (Herdy has been busy) where we revise our previous learning to help make sure we remember more – we are getting really good at this. We have looked back at photos of our previous learning adventures and re-read some of our favourite books. We have lots of exciting events to look forward to across the term – keep a close eye on the weekly updates!

Timetable

Monday

Mrs Pawson and Mrs Ferneley in the morning
Mrs Pawson in the afternoon

Tuesday

Mrs Pawson and Mrs Ferneley in the morning
Mrs Pawson in the afternoon

Wednesday

Mrs Pawson in the morning
Swimming in the afternoon

Phonics reading books sent home.

Thursday

Mrs Pawson and Mrs Ferneley in the morning
Mrs Pawson in the afternoon

Friday

Mrs Pawson or Mrs Buggy

Phonics reading books returned to school.

Reading for pleasure books (bedtime stories) changed by children if they want to.

Please read for pleasure every day – this can include sharing of any reading.

Our golden threads this half term and next are

Be spiritually, mentally and physically healthy
and

Understand and embrace the wider world.

Some areas we will cover across this term...

As always, we have already had hundreds of ideas of things we want to learn about, we have started the time on blossom watch... looking at the tree outside our window and eagerly looking for seasonal changes. We have also been re-reading a favourite book 'Tap the Magic Tree'.

Last half term we were reading a book about saving sharks which we have continued to be inspired by, we are working really hard to look after our world and have planted some bee friendly seeds. I have no doubt this will lead to lots of learning experiences.

We will continue to develop our phonics and Early Reading skills, we do this in our phonics sessions, reading and through our independent learning. We will be embedding phase 3 phonics skills and beginning phase 4. We all love reading for pleasure!

We will continue our Mastery Maths adventures which we really love, we do this daily both as teacher led sessions (we call these our Maths Meetings) and in our independent learning.

Communication

Diary dates for the term ahead can be found on the school website.

Our Twitter feed on the school website shows updates throughout the week of what we are getting up to in our learning.

An updates email is sent each week from admin with reminders of things parents need to know for the week ahead.

Any letters are always sent out by email; for ease, these are also uploaded to the letters section of the website for future reference.

There is a whole school news section on the front page of the website, which has articles added for parents. The latest articles will always appear at the top.

Need to contact us...

admin@kirkbymalzeard.n-yorks.sch.uk for any general enquiries or any out of school hours correspondence.

gpawson@kirkbymalzeard.n-yorks.sch.uk for class teacher questions; 8am – 5.30pm only.

Collection arrangements to be emailed as soon as possible with the subject line 'collection arrangements'.

School Bus: Please ensure you have provided the school office with an updated bus form via admin email. This can be found on the 'end of day collection arrangements' tab on the website.