

Welcome to spring term's learning for Cedar class.

This tells you what your child will be learning this term in school. We really value your support and the help that you can give your child with their learning. If you would like a detailed overview of curriculum coverage, please see our website [Felix Primary School](http://www.felixprimaryschool.co.uk)

English



In writing we will be exploring and writing lots of narratives. We will be using 'Last Stop on Market Street' 'Queen's Hat' 'Wombat goes Walkabout' and 'The Comet' to inspire our writing.

In reading we will be introducing the children to Guided Reading sessions. In these sessions we will be reading and answering questions about 'Here We Are' and 'Look Up'. These sessions will give us the opportunity to hear different texts and ensure our understanding of the texts we are reading through a range of different questions.

Science



In science, we will be spending time looking at planting. We will revisit this unit over the term to observe the changes we can see. We will also learn about animals and caring for the planet. Our science lessons allow your children the opportunities to develop their knowledge around a wealth of topics and to ask all the interesting questions they have.

Music

In music we will be learning about sound patterns and pitch. Music allows us the time to be creative and show off the many different skills we all have. It also enables us to develop confidence to perform in front of others and to also gain the skills required to be a good member of an audience.



Geography / History



We will start the term with our History unit of travel and transport and how things have changed over time. We will then move onto our Geography unit which will see us learn all about The United Kingdom. Geography and History lessons give the children the chance to deepen their understanding about topics they may not naturally ask questions about in their every day lives.

Maths

In maths, we will be continuing our work on place value and addition and subtraction to ensure all children have a secure understanding of these areas of maths. We will then move on to learning about length, height, weight and mass.

Your children will also have received Numbot logins. Please encourage them to access this regularly to continue to support their mathematical knowledge.



RE



In RE we will have two big questions that we will explore across the term. Our first big question will be 'Who is God to Jews?' and we will explore and learn about Judaism. Our second big question will be 'Why was Jesus welcomed like a king or celebrity by the crowds on Palm Sunday?' and we will learn more about Christianity.

PSHE



This term for PSHE we have two topics. We will start the term by looking at dreams and goals. These sessions will allow the children time to reflect on their own dreams and goals and what this means to them. We will then think about 'Healthy Me' and what we can do to be a healthy version of ourselves.

Computing

In computing, as well as the units we learn about we also have important themes running through our lessons. We will start by discussing information finding and how to manage information online and we will develop our skills to gather and group data. We will then move on to Technology rules for safety and we will learn about programm and how to move a robot.



PE

Our PE days are on a Monday and Wednesday, please ensure your child comes to school wearing the correct kit, long hair is tied up and earrings are removed. We will cover four different units of learning in PE this term including, dance, gymnastics, invasion games and team building games.



Art / DT

Art and DT sessions are a great time for your children to develop skills they may otherwise not have the opportunity to do and show off their creative side. In Art this term we will spend time exploring water colours. Our DT lessons will allow us to prepare fruit and vegetables in a safe and hygienic way.

Phonics

Our daily phonics sessions will continue. These sessions give your child the opportunity to learn new sounds, apply them to their reading and consolidate prior knowledge. The support you offer your child at home through regular reading and watching of the videos is invaluable and enables the children to make incredible progress in reading.

HOUSE KEEPING

- A reminder that we do PE on a Wednesday and Friday the expectation is that your child comes to school in their kits on these days.
- Reading regularly with your child at home is such an important part of their school journey. Please record your child's reading in their reading records so we can celebrate this at school as well with them.
- If there are concern or queries please do not hesitate to contact us through the school office or arrange to book a time to meet with us.