

As writers, we will be recapping our learning from Y2 and Y3 to prepare us for Y3 and Y4 writing. We will be writing poems, stories and accounts.

We will be building up our vocabulary, and learning spelling, grammar and punctuation throughout our English work.

As Mathematicians we will look at a range of written methods for addition, subtraction, division and multiplication. We will be focussing on rebuilding our core skills as well as learning new skills now we are in lower KS2.

As scientists, we will be exploring what forces are and conducting different experiments involving forces and magnets. We will also be looking at circuits and electricity.

Mathematics

Place Value and Number,
Addition and Subtraction,
Multiplication and Division

Times tables (3 - 12)

Science
Forces and Magnets.
Electricity.

Computing
E-safety and using
Microsoft word.

Literacy
Revision, Poems, Story Writing,
Account Writing.

PSHCE and RE

PSHCE - Back to school, friendship, respect.

RE- Christianity and the Church

OUR LOCAL AREA

Humanities
Our Local Area

Languages - French
Basic greetings, numbers
1-10, body parts.

The Arts
Sketching, Paper Mache, Painting.

P.E
Indoor and outdoor games

As Artists we will work to improve our mastery of art and design techniques, including drawing, painting and sculpture with a range of materials.

We will be conducting an artist study on William Morris and preparing to do a watercolour painting of the River Wensum.

In PE, we will be learning multi-skills with Pav and Real PE with Miss Cartwright, which involves exercising with a focus on teamwork, perseverance and resilience.

As Geographers, we will be exploring Lyng. We will have a look at various features of Lyng ranging from the river, land use and using maps.

As Historians, we will be looking at what Lyng was once like, as well as finding out what it was like for a child in the Victorian period.



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Homework

Rowan pupils will receive a half termly homework challenges booklet, detailing different tasks that they could complete at home. These tasks will be maths, English and topic related.

As and when the children complete the tasks, they can bring them in to show me. Children's home learning is not limited to the tasks in the booklet, and if they wish to do more than what is on the list they are welcome to do so!

Please note that all children must be reading at home 3-5 times a week, both independently in their head and with an adult reading aloud. Please fill in your child's reading record when reading is completed at home.

Many thanks for your support, and if you have any queries do not hesitate to talk to me.

PE, Reading and Music:

Our PE days are Thursday and Friday. Please do not forget PE kit, with appropriate footwear and clothing.

Y3 will need their reading records on Thursday and Y4 will need their reading records on Friday.

Our Music day is Tuesday. This term, we will be learning the musical alphabet and using our bodies as a method of percussion.

Children who have violin lessons will have tuition on Tuesday.

Rowan class Autumn Term Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

For parents of Y4 children, welcome back to Rowan Class and for parents of Y3 children, welcome to Rowan Class!

We have so far been adjusting to the 'new normal' and getting used to the routines of school. I have been impressed with how everybody has settled in! Well done Rowan Class for a great start to the term so far.

Our focus for the first part of this term will be Our Local Area, finding out about all things Lyng! During this topic, we will be exploring the human and physical geography of our country and of course, Lyng! We will be looking at the British Isles, Norwich and Norfolk, OS maps, land use and the River Wensum.

We will also be looking at the history of Lyng, and finding out about what being a pupil at Lyng Primary School was like years ago! We will be looking at old school photos and records to find this out. We will look at what life was like Victorian children and compare our lives to theirs.

We've learnt lots already and are having lots of fun!

You know where I am if you have any questions

Miss Cartwright ☺