

As readers we will be reading a selection of fiction and non-fiction books during our shared reading sessions. We will be writing for a range of purposes including writing poetry and even a recount of our Pirates trip.

We will be exploring pirate boat designs, identifying and labelling their features. We will then design our own Pirate boat and create it using what we have learned about materials to ensure it floats in water.

As scientists we will be investigating a range of different materials and looking at their properties. We will then see how these materials are used for different purposes.

Art and D&T

Pirate boats

Science

Uses of everyday materials

Computing

Year 1: Typing skills
Year 2: Digital Music

Jigsaw PSHE:
Relationships

RE- Christianity- What do my senses tell me about religion?

English

Poetry, recounts

Ahoy there me hearties!

Maths – Time, fractions, multiplication and division

As mathematicians Year 1 will extend their number knowledge up to 50- they will then apply these skills using the 4 operations. Year 2 will consolidate their work on the 4 operations. Children will move on to exploring fractions and beginning to tell the time.

P.E.

Fundamental personal movement skills.

In PE we will be developing a range P.E. skills and ball skills.

History and Geography

Pirates

As Historians we will be learning about Pirates and their daily lives. We will also be discussing how life has changed over time.

We will develop our mapping skills using treasure maps. We will visit the Time and Tide Museum and will be ending with a Pirate Party.

Our Topic is 'Ahoy there me Hearties' Children will look at lives of Pirates and how this is different to their lives today. We will visit the Time and Tide museum to help in our learning.

P.E. Wednesday and Thursday

Library: Thursday afternoon

Music: Tuesday morning

Outdoor learning: Tuesday afternoon

Spelling Quiz- Every Friday

General class dates :

Bank Holiday- Monday 1st May 2023

Bank Holiday- Monday 8th May 2023

Willow class trip- Time and Tide Museum- Thursday 11th May 2023

W/C Monday 15th May- KS1 SATS week

Show and tell- Friday 26th May 2023

Please ensure children have their reading records, water bottle and book bag in school every day. Books will be changed once a week. Please ensure you are reading with your child to practise reading skills.

Forest School will be continuing in the spring term every Tuesday afternoon (except the first and last week of term) Please ensure children are in weather appropriate clothes and have a coat. You may wish to send in some wellies for your child and these can be stored in the shelter area outside.

Lyng CE Primary Academy



Willow class

Summer term 1 2023

Curriculum Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers

We hope you all had a lovely, well rested Easter holiday and we are so happy to welcome the children back to school ready for the Summer term!

This week the children were so excited to return to school and discover our new theme, Pirates! The children have been working extremely hard in school. It has been so lovely to see how much home learning they did last half term- keep it up!

Please ensure children are arriving at school promptly at 8:45 to ensure they are not missing the morning activities. Just a polite reminder, the school day finishes at 3:05. Please ensure **all** uniform is clearly labelled to ensure can be returned to the rightful owner if it does become lost. During the week commencing Monday 15th May 2023 is when Year 2 pupils will take the Y2 national tests. To enable your child to complete the tests to the best of their ability, please ensure he/she is well rested, has had breakfast and are at school on time. If you do have any questions please do not hesitate to get into contact!

If you do have any questions please do not hesitate to contact myself of Mrs Lemon
Miss Allen, Mrs Lemon