

Wrawby St Mary's C of E Primary School

Autumn Term 1 2023



Reading

Wolf struggles to fit into his village. He's not strong like his brother or a natural leader like his father. Every day he just tries to keep his head down. That is until a sacred spear head is stolen. Wolf is cast out, seen as the reason for its disappearance. With only his trusty dog, Shadow, to join him, Wolf vows to find the stolen spear.



Geography

This term, we consider the question 'How is our community different from others?'

Children will become geographers by being able to make comparisons about villages, towns and cities. We will be able to explore and identify the key feature of Cleethorpes (resort) and Immingham (port) and the difference between them. We will begin to understand compass point in between north, east, south and west. This will be followed by planning a journey to different points of interests in Cleethorpes. Finally, we will compare the similarities and differences of Wrawby and Cleethorpes.



RE

This half term we will be exploring the Hindu world view by learning about sacred texts, stories and learn about the divine through these stories.



ART

This half term our focus will be drawing. The children will continue to develop their skills of shading, hatching, cross hatching and stippling with a final piece of a beach object.

Maths Skills

Throughout this term, children will explore and apply their understanding of:

Time- understanding a.m. and p.m., and tell and write the time from an analogue clock and 12-hour clocks.

Number and place value- Recognise the place value of each digit in a three-digit number.

Addition- Add numbers mentally, including a three-digit number and ones, tens or hundreds.

Subtraction- Subtract numbers mentally including a three-digit number and ones, tens or hundreds.

To help your child spend 5 mins a day Chanting the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables. Also, use the TTRockstars login and move through the levels.

Literacy Skills

Before we begin our first piece of writing this half term, the children will be learning about and comparing stories from Greek mythology. Following this they will innovate Theseus and the Minotaur.

After that, we will be creating shape poems using the wonderful 'A to Zebra' as stimulus.

Science This term, our Science focus will be, 'Forces and magnets'.

Children will answer these questions:

- What are forces?
- How do objects move?
- How do magnets work?
- What materials are magnetic?
- How do magnets differ in strength?
- How can magnets be used?
- Can I explain how magnets attract or repel each other?



When answering these questions we will be working scientifically by grouping and classifying things and carrying out simple comparative and fair tests.

Computing

We will be exploring digital devices by comparing digital and non digital devices. We will discover the benefits of connecting devices in a network.

PE

Children's designated PE days will be a Tuesday and a Friday.

Children need to bring their PE kit into school on a Monday and take it home on a Friday.

Please ensure all kit is clearly named.