

Oak class 23rd Mar - 27th Mar

Our half-termly topic is "People Who Help Us," and this week we focus on the police.

Communication and Language

We will be exploring the role of the police.

The children will learn about their important role in society and use new vocabulary to role-play this profession during their playtime.

We will be visited by real police officers on Tuesday who will tell Oak class all about their job.



PSED



We will continue to focus on kindness and respect, reinforcing our school values. We'll remind the children about making safe choices when selecting games to play. In addition, we celebrate moments of independence in daily routines and play, fostering responsibility and confidence.

Physical development

Physical development is a prime EYFS area fostering healthy, active lives through gross motor (large movements) and fine motor (precise, small) skills, plus self-care.

Our PE lessons with Mr Green will focus on fundamental gross motor skills. Children will learn to move their bodies in different ways while following instructions through games and using sports equipment like balls.

UW

Exploring the role of police officers. This week we welcome a police officer to Oak Class! They will share their experiences and explain how they help people. This is a fantastic opportunity for our children to ask questions and learn important vocabulary related to this profession.

EAD

This week, we will be inspired by the delightful story 'what the ladybird heard' by Julia Donaldson, guiding our writing and creative activities.

We will become detectives, just like the ladybird and solve our own Oak class crimes.

Maths

This week, the children will use practical contexts to sort objects according to different criteria. They will be encouraged to notice different attributes in groups of objects – such as colour, size or function – and to describe what they notice.

Alongside this, they will continue to practise recalling the composition of numbers as doubles. They will use their previous experience of investigating doubles to begin to practically explore even and odd numbers.

Literacy

We appreciate your comments in the children's Yellow reading records. Please continue to note how your child is progressing with reading at home. Remember to send their book folders with books and ditty sheets every day. In phonics lessons, we will focus on writing, including letter formation and three-letter CVC words. Children will practice identifying sounds using "Fred fingers" to aid their writing. Additionally, we will work with small groups to write CVC words or short sentences, ensuring proper letter formation to support their developing writing skills.

