

Oak class 1st Dec - 5th Dec



Communication and Language

We are focusing on being Ready, Respectful and Safe as a whole school approach. In Oak class, we continue to focus on what 'Respect' looks like at school and towards all adults at school

- Listening to others
- Following the rules
- Saying kind things to others
- Using good manners
- Including others in our play

PSED

Empathy- this week we are continuing to look at and talking about one of our respectful behaviours. We are thinking about other people's feelings in different situations and not just our own.

Physical development

We are focusing on changing into our PE kits all half term- please encourage your child to get dressed independently at home as this will support this.

We are using different materials such as shaving foam and cornflour this week to make wintry play- this also supports our gross and fine motor development.

UW

We will be attending a whole school panto of Snow White on Monday.

On Wednesday, we will welcome Graham and his hedgehogs to learn all about this native, nocturnal animal.

We will continue to talk about space and the planets that we know.

EAD

This week we will be doing a lot of practising for our Nativity production- we can wait to perform for you next week!

We will be making some snowmen this week using different materials.



Maths

This week, we will continue to look at the comparison of quantities. A key focus this week is deepening our understanding of 5 as a quantity by linking the number itself to the 5 fingers on one hand. The children will also begin to explore ways to represent numbers to 5 using both their fingers and the five dotted dice pattern

We are also continuing to explore mass and comparing things that are heavier and lighter using balance scales to explore this.



Literacy

We continue to play Fred games every day. We are now recapping the letter sounds that we have learnt and will now have a bigger focus on using these sounds to Fred talk and read words.

This week we are going to continue to write the sounds. Those who are ready will begin to blend sounds to read words.

Do you want to build a snowman?