

WEETON ST MICHAEL'S C OF E SCHOOL

Summer Term SAPLINGS CLASS



Raging Rivers



HOW YOU CAN HELP US.....

Our PE kit days are on a Tuesday and a Friday each week. No jewellery must be worn. Sturdy trainers must be worn.

Please read with your child every night. Share your reading time together. I will be checking books on Fridays. We will also be sending home weekly Spelling practice for your children to develop. Encourage your children to be on TT Rockstars to develop their timetable skills.

ASK YOUR CHILD ABOUT THEIR DAY.

AS INVESTIGATORS WE ARE.....

SCIENCE: Making connections – Children will be learning to make connections and conducting experiments to test theories.

AS ENQUIRERS WE ARE.....

GEOGRAPHY: Rivers – Children will be learning about the water cycle, how the rivers are formed, and where we can find rivers across the world. We will be looking into Human Geography and how the Rivers are used and what information we can discover about our local river.

HISTORY: How have children's lives changed - In this topic the children will be using sources to look at how children's lives have changed over time. Discussing what work children had to do in the Tudor period. We will be comparing this with children's jobs in Victorian Britain. We will be looking into Lord Shaftesbury and how he has helped to change the lives of children.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Rules for living - In this Topic we will be learning about which rules we should follow, we will be looking at why some people follow different rules.

Easter - In this topic we will look at prayer and what it means to pray. We will also be investigating how people of different faiths use prayer.

INSPIRING START

We will be looking into Historical sources and comparing children's lives in the past with their life today.

AS MATHEMATICIANS WE ARE....

Year 3 will be focusing on: Time, Decimals, Money, Shape and Statistics.

Year 4 will be focusing on: Time, Decimals, Money, Shape and Statistics.

As well as this the Year 4 class will be doing daily Times tables and Mr Wentel's Times table club to support the multiplication check.

AS READERS AND WRITERS....

We will be reading **The Journey** and **Manfish**. We will be developing our narrative writing skills and our ability to diaries and biographies.

AS CREATORS WE ARE.....

ART: Sculpture and 3 D - Children will be able to use abstract shape and space to design and create 3D sculptures. We will be creating our own 3d pieces of artwork and then evaluating and improving them.

MUSIC: Children will be exploring the art of improvisation and coming together as a class to create a piece of improvised music.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION: Children will be learning to throw and catch effectively and to use our imagination and our skills to create an effect and imaginative game. We will also be getting practice for sports day and we will be studying Athletics.

AS COMMUNICATORS WE ARE.....

COMPUTING: Journey inside a computer - The children will be learning about inputs and outputs. They will be able to identify key components inside a laptop and will use this knowledge to build their own laptops.

FRENCH: Children will learn about who is in their family and be able to discuss this in French. Children will also be able to describe what is in their classroom in French.

AS YOUNG PEOPLE WE ARE...

We are learning about how our brain works and how our mental health is important for all aspects of life. We will then be learning about our different characteristics and why they should be celebrated.