

Otter Class - Term 1 Overview 2021-22

Maths

The class will be looking at the maths through managing money. They will be handling really coins from copper to silver, dependent on where their skills and knowledge lie at present.

On top of this they will be focussing on addition, completing tasks that work within their ability range but also extend and challenge them.

English

The English work will be looking at them defining who they are through their likes, dislikes and emotions.

They will be doing a lot of speaking and listening to support them creating a group identity.

Art

On a Friday the students will be going to the specialist art space once a week and following the specialist teacher guidance and instruction, building up painting skills at the same time as developing their fine motor

Newsround

The class will be looking at the News and having a chance to discuss some of the things going on in the world.

Forest School

The students will be going to the specialist art space once a week and following the specialist teacher guidance and instruction, building up painting skills at the same time as developing their fine motor skills.

Gym and the SI space

As with Art, the students will be going to these specialist spaces once a week and participating in games and physical challenges to enhance their gross motor skills, spatial awareness, whilst at the same time supporting and developing their physical strength and fitness.

Independent Living-Cooking

Every Wednesday the students will be involved in planning, purchasing and preparing a meal.

This will involve going to a supermarket after a class based food discussion.

After preparing the food, students will be involved in the clearing up after that we ALL have to deal with in daily life!

Useful websites that are stimulating

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/> Great for some learning online games in maths and English

https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/news/watch_newsround Interesting daily news