Summer 1 Newsletter

Good morning and welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful Easter break and I look forward to hearing all about it from the children.

Phonics Screening Check (June 2026)

As we approach the screening check in June, a huge thank you for your continued support and any additional reading practice you are doing at home. To help the children feel even more confident, I will be sending home a practise pack this week.

If you have a spare few minutes , these activities are great for extra practice in blending both real and 'alien' (nonsense) word. There's no pressure to complete it all at once, any practice is great! If you have lost your flashcards with the phonemes on, please let me know. I can easily print a fresh set for you. As always if you have any queries at all please don't hesitate to contact me. You can contact me via dojo or via email. My email address is: Philippa.lovett@oxenhope.bdat-accdemies.org

Best wishes

Miss Lovett

Weekly Overview

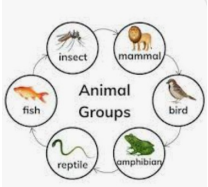
Tuesday	Indoor PE Outdoor Learning	Pupils can come in their PE kit. Pupils will need their wellies.
Wednesday	Outdoor PE	Pupils can come in their PE kit.
Friday	Reading Books Library book	Reading books will be changed. Pupils will visit the library and swap their library books.

English

This term pupils will learn how to write a non chronological report. Our class text is 'The Great Fire of London'

Science

Animals including humans-Pupils will learn about the animal groups mammals, fish, birds, reptiles, and amphibians.



PE

Netball and Tennis

ICT- Moving a robot

DT- Construction - Model Houses

What are houses like in other countries? Pupils will design and create their own house out of recycled materials focusing on joining using different materials.

History

'The Great Fire of London'

To identify why and how the Great Fire of London started in 1666. What did Samuel Pepys see?

PSHE

Growth mindset, healthy eating, hygiene and health and cooperation

How do you know you have learnt something?

Maths

Pupils will cover place value within 100.

Multiplication and division, fractions, time and measurement.

Music

Pupils will appraise and perform 'Your Imagination ' by Joanna Mangona and Pete Readman. A song about using your imagination.

RE- Judaism

The children will be exploring how Jewish families celebrate special traditions and what it means to belong to a faith community.

Homework Ideas

Daily reading. Use your phonics pack to practise your sounds.

Draw or paint a picture of 'The Great Fire of London'

Research and write a fact file about 'The Great Fire of London'

Multiplication

Practise counting in 2s,5s and 10s.

Draw pictures of animals from different animal groups. Label the animals' body parts and write some of the similarities and differences between the groups.

Compare homes of today with homes from the 1600s.

Design a poster to show your findings.

Imagine you are Samuel Pepys and write an extract for his diary.

Thinking about your senses write a poem about the story of 'The Great Fire of London.'

Design an information poster about fire safety. Create a catchy slogan or advert to help people remember how to stay safe in a fire.