



Durrell Autumn 2 Parent Share- Fantasy

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>English</u></p> <p>This half term Durrell will be focusing on how to write a fantasy story- which ties in with our school termly theme of Fantasy. The class will focus on setting, character description and dialogue. They will practise writing labels, diary entries, post cards, log and narrative. They will focus on Harry Potter and the Philosophers Stone; looking at character development,</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Mathematics</u></p> <p>Durrell class will focus on place value, addition and subtraction and measurement this half term.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>PSHE/RSE</u></p> <p>Mental health Identifying mental health worries and sources of support Love and loss Managing feelings Power and control Assertiveness Technology safety Take responsibility with technology use.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Science</u></p> <p>Durrell will be focusing on 'Animals, including Humans'. They will learn about what nutrition humans need to survive, types of skeletons, names of bones and functions of a skeleton. They will also be learning about muscles.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Art</u></p> <p>Durrell class will be focused on engaging in new creative activities like: Dramatic activities: Start a dress-up box, make puppets, act out stories, or play charades Pretend play: Set up a tent and go on a camping adventure, or act out daily activities like going to the shops Creative arts: Try drawing, painting, photography, music, or working with clay, paper, or wood Visit creative venues: Go to art galleries, museums, libraries, or parks with sculptures Cooking competitions: Host a cook-off, pie-baking contest, or a contest where participants prepare visually appealing food</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Geography</u></p> <p>Durrell will be studying Mountains and Volcanoes. They will learn about how mountains form and their features. They will study the UK's peaks; locating them and identifying features on OS maps. They will learn about volcanoes; why they form and their features. They will also consider the advantages and disadvantages of living near a volcano.</p>

	All related to Remembrance Day and Christmas festivities.	
<p><u>History</u></p> <p>Durrell will be studying the Anglo-Saxons. They will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Outline where the Anglo-Saxons came from · Research place names from the Anglo-Saxons · Describe the kind of houses they lived in – West Stow Anglo Saxon Village · Name the Anglo-Saxon Gods and why they converted to Christianity · Research King Raedwald and Sutton Hoo 	<p><u>My Independence</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Following instructions during new activities. • Choosing own activities during target time. • Practice road safety around the school grounds. • Preparing for gardening activities • Using computers safely 	<p><u>Home Learning Ideas</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read a fantasy book together. • Go on a walk to look for Autumn changes. • Look out for Volcanoes in the news • Look out for Anglo-Saxon place names near you
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Music</u></p> <p>Durrell will be exploring the music world of sounds through a variety of music activities.</p> <p>Students will be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore different percussion instruments Choice their favourite instrument and song Engage with peers and staff Be involved in variety of music activities (Shaking time, Music box, Music game) Enjoy and experience of shared play and fun 		