

## Windmill Class Term 1+2 2017



## Key Areas of Learning

As **Scientists** we will be investigating materials. We will be asking questions to challenge our learning and we will be looking at properties of materials through a range of experiments.

As **Artists**, we will be designing our own superhero outfit. We will be playing and acting with small world - variety of houses and people. We will also be experimenting with a range of collages using different textures to create comics. We will be using colour, texture, shape, form and space in two or three dimensions to make a castle or lair or hiding place for our superheroes in junk modelling.

As **Physical Learners** we will be exploring the outdoor equipment, moving around, over, under and through balancing equipment. We will be finding out what makes a healthy superhero and the differences in our bodies when we are running and pretending to fly, and when we are still. We will be learning how to move equipment e.g. tyres safely around the playground and will be developing our ability to move in a range of ways with increasing control and co-ordination.

### ENGLISH

In Literacy 'The Three Little Pigs' will be our fiction text this term. We will be learning key storytelling skills enabling us to map, retell and adapt the story in our own guided writing.

We will be writing instructions and will focus on the features of non-fiction texts and how these differ from fiction.

We will begin to learn Set 1 sounds in our Word time sessions and we will be learning to form our letters correctly.

### MATHEMATICS

In Maths lessons we will be focusing on the following areas:

- We will be using our super powers to count and identify numbers.
- We will be comparing how much containers can hold and using language related to capacity.
- We will be playing board games.
- We will be using, ordering and writing numbers up to 10.
- We will be investigating different 2D shapes.
- We will be using positional/directional language to direct a Beebot to the castle/lair.

### ENRICHMENT

We will be having a superhero day in class exploring what it is to be a hero through a variety of activities.

We will also be visiting our local church, St James'.

### RE

In R.E. we will be learning about special people. We will be learning about how we are special and the special people in our lives. We will also be thinking about why Jesus and Moses were special people.

### COMPUTING

We will be practicing our mouse control and our use of programmable toys.

### MUSIC

In music this term we will be exploring how instruments make sounds and will look at changing volumes.

### PSCHE

Our values this term will be Appreciation and Respect. Our SEAL topic will be Changes. We will explore what Changes happen in our lives and the positive/negative effects they have.

### FRENCH

In French will be learning simple greetings and numbers.