




Reception

Term 1 Plan



THINGS TO TRY BEFORE YOU START HERE:

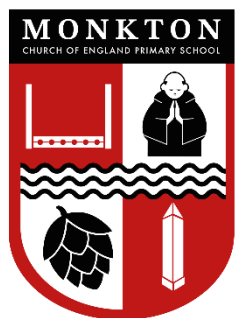
- Try putting on your own clothes and shoes
- Try to write your name using a pencil and paper
- Try reading a story and think about your favourite bit
- Try to use the toilet by yourself and wash your hands afterwards

Term 1			
Themed Learning			
Me and My Community 		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trips around our local villages • People who help us visits (If you have a role in the community that helps others. and wouldn't mind coming into class to tell us all about it, then please let us know. • Cake sale to raise funds for Spirit our air ambulance. 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Literacy	Learning to read and write our names Learning to read and write initial sounds	Physical Development	Moving around our learning environment safely Forming patterns Forming Letters with different materials
Maths	Numbers to 5 3D and 2D shape	Understanding the World	Our Community- who and what forms it?
Communication & Language	Speaking in clear sentences and listening to our friends	PE	To begin in Term 2
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	What's special about me?	RSE	Get HeartSmart
Expressive Arts & Design	Self and Family portraits. Junk modelling	RE	Christianity- Why is the World God so Important to Christians?

Key Dates

<https://www.monkton.kent.sch.uk/calendar>

Friday 12 th September	Harvest Service at the church
Friday 26 th September	European Day of Languages – Spanish theme
Thursday 2 nd October	National Poetry Day – Child and Teacher poetry slam!
Friday 3 rd October 3:00pm – 3:15pm	Colour Run Fundraiser for OPAL
Wednesday 15 th October 1:10pm – 7:30pm	Parent Consultations (in the school hall)
Friday 17 th October	Wear it Red Day – Show racism the red card
Friday 17 th October	Last day of Term 1




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Term 2 Plan



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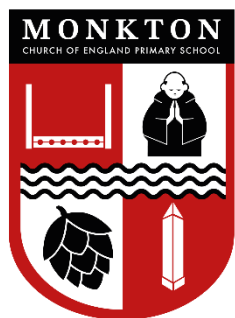
- Try doing up your own zips
- Write down some of the sounds you can remember
- Can you count to 10?
- Look outside when it's dark- what can you see?

Term 2			
Themed Learning			
Starry Night 		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trip to local theatre • Nativity • Night time at Monkton School/Star gazing and camp fire • Christmas! 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Literacy	Learning to read and write more sounds Learning to read and write CVC words/ first set of tricky words	Physical Development	Balancing while moving. Forming letters with pencils and paper.
Maths	Change within 5 Number bonds to 5 Space	Understanding the World	The world at night.
Communication & Language	Listening skills Giving our opinions	PE	Movement Development
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Making friends	RSE	Don't forget to Love in!
Expressive Arts & Design	Nocturnal Creatures Junk Modelling	RE	Christianity- Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?

Key Dates

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Monday 27 th October (1 st day of T2)	Diwali – Festival of Light (Whole School Learning)
Tuesday 28 th October	Class Photos
Friday 7 th November	OPAL Stay 'n' Play – a chance for parents to come and experience the power of play!
Week Beginning 10 th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Friday 14 th November	Children in Need
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday 16 th December	Christingle at the Church
Wednesday 17 th December @2:30pm	Christmas Open Afternoon – a chance to come and look at your children's achievements in T1 and T2
Thursday 18 th December	Monkton's Got Talent
Thursday 18 th December	Last day of T2 – Happy Christmas!




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Term 3 Plan

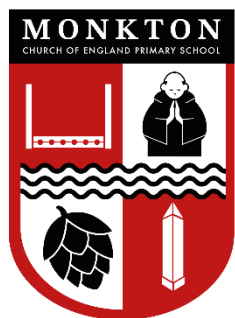


THINGS TO TRY BEFORE T3 STARTS:

- Can you decide what your favourite story is and say why you like it?
- Can you draw a picture from your favourite story?
- How many sounds do you remember in your sound book?
- Can you count to 15?

Term 3			
Themed Learning			
Once Upon a Time ... 		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fairy tale tea party • Prince and Princess story time • Fairy tale detectives- immersive experiences 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Literacy	Read/Write further digraphs Read/write cvc words/further tricky words Write labels Begin to write captions	Physical Development	Moving our bodies in different ways. Forming letters with more accuracy.
Maths	Numbers to 10 Additions to 10 Measure	Understanding the World	Different communities throughout the world
Communication & Language	Using repeated topic vocabulary in our play.	PE	Throwing and Catching
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Sharing skills	RSE	Too Much Selfie Isn't Healthy!
Expressive Arts & Design	Story books Traditional Tales accessories Junk Modelling	RE	New Testament- Which stories are special and why?

Key Dates	
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Monday 5 th January	New Year Resolutions Theme Day (Whole School)
Friday 16 th January	Muddy OPAL Stay 'n' Play – a chance for parents to come and experience the power of play (IN THE MUD)!
Monday 19 th January	Young Voices Concert at the O2 (Choir Only)
Friday 6 th February	National Number Day
Tuesday 10 th February	Safer Internet Day
Friday 13 th February	Winter Olympics Theme Day (Whole School)
Friday 13 th February	Last day of T3




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Term 4 Plan

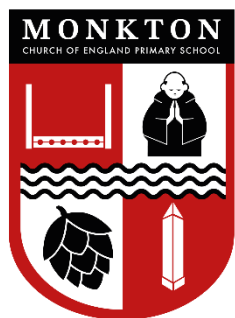


THINGS TO TRY BEFORE TERM 4 STARTS:

- Can you name dinosaur? What do you know about them?
- Can you count to 20?
- Can you help back your own school bag?
- Can you fill up your own water bottle?

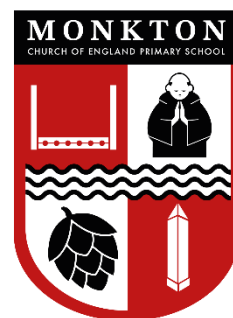
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Themed Learning			
Dangerous Dinosaurs! 		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dress like a dinosaur day • What's in the Egg? • Big Dig Day! 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Literacy	Read/write cvcc/ccvc words Simple captions Further tricky words	Physical Development	Moving across different equipment Forming letters in words
Maths	Number bonds to 10 Subtraction within 10 Measure	Understanding the World	Dinosaurs!
Communication & Language	Using topic words in clear sentences.	PE	Ball Skills
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Expressing our feelings	RSE	Don't Hold On To What is Wrong!
Expressive Arts & Design	Dinosaur fossils Dinosaur footprints Junk modelling	RE	Christianity- Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?

Key Dates	
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Week Beginning Monday 2 nd March	Book Week
Thursday 5 th March	World Book Day
Friday 20 th March	Comic Relief
Thursday 2 nd April	This is Me Day (Whole School)
Thursday 2 nd April	Last day of T4



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Term 5 Plan



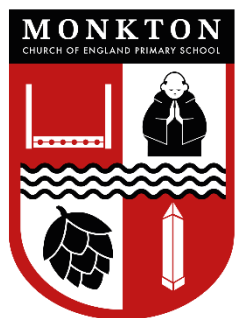
THINGS TO TRY BEFORE TERM 5 STARTS:

- Go into your garden can you find any bugs in it?
- Go on a walk and look for pretty things that are growing
- Can you write the names of everyone in your family?
- Can you count to 20

Term 5 CURRICULUM

Term 5			
Themed Learning			
Sunshine & Flowers 		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Caterpillars to butterflies experience • Nature walk • Monkton Nature reserve visit 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Literacy	Writing captions/sentences that can be read by others Reading simple sentences Further tricky words	Physical Development	Sports Day preparations. Practicing letter formation.
Maths	Numbers to 20 Counting on and back Patterns	Understanding the World	Growing plants and life cycles.
Communication & Language	Sharing facts and giving explanations	PE	Fun & Games
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Thinking about the feelings of others	RSE	Fake is a Mistake!
Expressive Arts & Design	Clay minibeasts Life cycle plates Junk modelling	RE	Word Faiths- Which stories are special and why?

Key Dates	
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Week Beginning Monday 20 th April	Recycling Week
Monday 20 th April	Earth Day (Whole School Theme Day)
Monday 18 th May	Sports Day
Tuesday 19 th May	Reserve Sports Day
Week Beginning Monday 18 th May	Healthy Bodies, Healthy Mind Week (Whole School)
Friday 22 nd May	Last Day of T5



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Term 6 Plan



THINGS TO TRY BEFORE TERM 6 STARTS:

- How many tricky words can you remember?
- Can you draw a picture of a friend and write them a message?
- Can you count to 20 and beyond?
- Can you read a book from home yourself?

Term 6 CURRICULUM

Term 6			
Themed Learning			
Animals Around the World 		Things to look forward to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trip to the zoo • The adventures of Every Where Bear! • End of Year Class party 	
Subject	Focus	Subject	Focus
Literacy	Writing captions/sentences that can be read by others Reading sentences containing taught sounds and tricky words	Physical Development	Coordination and Balance Handwriting preparation for Year 1
Maths	Numerical Patterns Shape Measure	Understanding the World	Animals throughout the world.
Communication & Language	Sharing facts and giving explanations.	PE	Working with Others
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Moving on to Year 1	RSE	No Way Through Isn't True!
Expressive Arts & Design	Animal masks Junk modelling	RE	Word Faiths- Which stories are special and why?

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Monday 1 st June – Friday 5 th June	Year 6 Hindleap Residential
Friday 12 th June	Men's Football World Cup (Whole School Theme Day)
Monday 22 nd June	World Music Day (Whole School Theme Day)
Friday 26 th June	Year 5 Camp Out
Wednesday 8 th July	End of Year Reports emailed to parents
Thursday 9 th July	Year 6 Production
Thursday 9 th July	Open Afternoon – a chance to come and look at your children's achievements this year
Friday 17 th July	Last day of T6 – have a great summer!

