



Hazel Class Newsletter

Spring - January 2025

Welcome Back

Happy New Year! We hope you all had a fun yet restful Christmas, it's been lovely hearing about all the festivities since we've returned!

We've had a few changes to the existing staffing team with the addition of Isobel into class as well as some change in days as outlined below.

You will be able to see the progress we have been making and the learning that has taken place on Evidence for Learning weekly. If you are having trouble accessing EFL, please let me know and we can get that sorted for you. We will keep you updated of any changes or important information through the home school books as well as what your young person has done throughout the day.

If you have any worries or need any questions answering, please get in touch either via the school office, home school books or email:

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Thank you all for your continued support!

Class Team



Ben



Louise

(Mon, Tues, Wed and Fri)



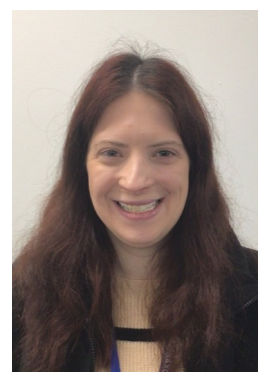
Kayleigh

(Mon, Tues, Thurs and Fri)



Angela

(Wed and Thurs)



Isobel

English

In English this term, we will be learning about diary writing, biographies and list poems.



Maths

During Maths this term, we will be learning about the Capacity and Volume as well as revisiting our number work.



Science

In Science this half-term, we will be learning all about Earth and Space! We'll be learning all about planets, the solar system and the planet that we live on!

Reading and Spelling

Going alongside our Reading Books now, we will also be having spellings. Every 2 weeks, we will have a new set of spellings. Your child's spellings will be on a sticker in their spelling book with any resources to support. It is entirely up to you how much or how little you do, please use the books to help practice too. On the Friday's we don't have assembly, we will have our Spelling Extravaganza which will then help de-

Topic

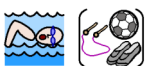
Our Topic for the first half of this term is A Day in the Life of an Artist and then the second half of the term will be A Day in the Life of a Librarian. If you have done any art or you have a favourite book, we'd love to hear about it on Efl!

More Learning!

Throughout the week, we will continue to have some teachers popping in to teach us! We have Tania (Cooking), Kate (Creativity) and Jo (Languages) every week as well as Isobel (Forest School) every other week! We will also have Personal Development afternoons on a Friday which will allow us to explore other, exciting learning

Hydro and Rebound

We access Rebound every Tuesday morning which will work alongside our Reading and PE lessons. We will also have Hydro every Thursday pm. This will work on a priority rota basis as there will be some individuals who during the year will have a half-term's worth of swimming at Burntwood Leisure Centre.



Hazel Generic Timetable					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
9:00 – 9:30	REGISTRATION Empty bags (home school books, snacks etc.), classroom jobs, Target Time (focus will change daily), register and timetable.				
9:30 – 9:50	Communication, Language and Literacy Phonics	Communication, Language and Literacy Individual Phonics and Reading Skills <i>REBOUND</i>	Independence and Wellbeing Cooking (Tania)	Communication, Language and Literacy Phonics	Communication, Language and Literacy Phonics
9:50 – 10:30	Communication, Language and Literacy English			Communication, Language and Literacy English	Communication, Language and Literacy English
10:30 – 11:00	SNACK AND BREAK TIME Break will finish at 11:00 with 10 minutes transition time into next lesson.				
11:10 – 12:00	Thinking and Problem Solving Maths	Physical Skills and Fitness Individual Physical targets/PE <i>REBOUND</i>	Independence and Wellbeing Cooking (Tania)	Thinking and Problem Solving Maths	Week 1 – Celebration Assembly/Music in Hall. Week 2 - Maths
12:00 – 1:20	LUNCHTIME Pick lunches up anytime from 11:45, eating from 12:00 – 12:45, outside from 12:45 – 1:20. 1:20 – 1:30 is transition back into class.				
1:30 – 1:45	PM REGISTRATION AND READING FOR PLEASURE Whole class book, audio book, 1:1 reading, independent reading, role play.				
1:45 – 2:45	Creativity Art/Music/Drama (Kate)	Thinking and Problem Solving Science	Week 1 – Preparation for Adulthood/Community and Wider World/PHSE (Ben) Week 2 – Forest School/Art (Isobel)	Community and the Wider World Languages (Jo) <i>HYDRO (Ben)</i>	Personal Development Afternoon
2:45 – 3:00	WELLBEING AND MINDFULNESS Calming end of the day (e.g., Line Riders, marble racing, yoga, Sensory Soothing). If individuals need to spend time in SI, use this time to and throughout day.				
3:00 – 3:15	HALL FOR END OF DAY				