

This Term's News

P.E. kits are provided for your child this year, but please ensure they have trainers for outdoor lessons.

Your child's Phonics Reading Book will be changed when it has been read 3 times and this is checked everyday.

Just a reminder that reading **any** book is fantastic, not just your school book, and we would love to see these recorded in your reading records. These will all be counted as part of the regular reader award.

Homework will be given out weekly for your child to complete. The tasks will be short activities focused on Phonics, Maths and Spellings.

As Geographers we will:

Look at our local area and where our school is situated. We will explore local human and physical features and create our own picture map.

As Artists and Designers we will:

look at a wide range of buildings to develop our drawing skills through the use of tones and shading. We will then create a house of the future inspired by the houses around Wheeler Primary School. We will think about the design and will create a lever or a slider to show ourselves at our new home.

Curriculum News

This term, our topic is 'The Wonderful World of Wheeler'.

We will be exploring our local neighbourhood and recognising where our school is in relation to our city of Hull.

We will also look at the history of Wheeler Primary school and how it has changed across the century.

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"Steering a course to success"

As Readers and Writers we will:

Construct simple sentences, captions and labels using our phonic skills to spell words.

We will read with an adult every day, developing our reading to ensure we become confident fluent readers.

As Scientists we will:

Investigate and group objects by the materials they are made from and describe their simple physical properties.

We will also learn about different seasons, types of weather and how day length can vary.

As Historians we will:

Learn about the history of our school and local area. We will look back at the history of Wheeler and the changes that have occurred over the years.

As Sportspeople we will:

Be developing our agility, balance and coordination skills through a range of activities and apply these to a range of Gymnastics movements to create a short sequence.

As Mathematicians we will:

Secure our knowledge of numbers to 10, and then 20, by counting forwards and backwards and finding missing numbers within a sequence. We will use these numbers in simple addition and subtraction calculations.

We will also expand our knowledge of 2D and 3D shapes, learning about their properties.