

Welcome

The Protea team are super excited to start off the new year by welcoming back all of the pupils to school. We hope that everyone has had a lovely and restful festive season and are looking forward to an action-packed term. Our topic this term is "Feel the Force", and we will use our lesson time to investigate what forces are at work around us every day.

Curriculum

In communication and interaction this term, our focus will be on comprehension and linking ideas together from different lessons. We will use two different stories that we will use to help us - Ada Twist, Scientist and Max Einstein.

In P.E. this term, we will be looking at Health and Fitness as our focus. We hope to get involved in healthy exercises that increase our heart rates and gets us all moving!

Our cognition and learning lessons will include both maths and science. Maths lessons will focus on functional skills needed for telling the time and sequencing our day and week. This includes learning the days of the week and months of the year. Our science topic is forces and we will look at magnetic and gravitational forces.

PSHE lessons will see us working on managing conflict, both internally and with others. This is a topic that will help us all in dealing with conflicts within our friendships and with others around school.

Whole School Diary Dates

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11/01/2023 19/01/2023 02/02/2023 10/02/2023 20/02/2023

Panathlon – Daffodil Class Sensory OT Coffee Morning with Jo Judge Sensory OT Coffee Morning with Jo Judge End of Term Start of Term

Key Class information

Tuesday – This is our PE day. Please send in PE kit and appropriate shoes.

Friday – We will be going out into the community on these days. Please send in comfortable shoes and a coat.

Snack Time – Please send in a snack for your child to eat as well as squash if needed.

Food and nutrition – Please send £1.50 a week or £7.50 for the term in a named envelope to cover the cost of ingredients for food lessons.

Keeping in touch

Please use the home school book to inform us of any important information relating to your child. We will check it every day but please log into Tapestry for your daily class update. Don't forget to add any home experiences to Tapestry as this provides us with a valuable link to home.

Any absence or to notify us of a medical appointment or for general enquiries please email: willoughbyenquiries@prioryacademies.co.uk