

Ways to help your child...

Please read daily and complete one homework challenge each week.

Homework books must be handed in every Monday.

Reading books and reading records must be handed in every day.

RE / PHSE

In RE we will be asking the Big Questions; How do Christians show that reconciliation with God and others is important? And how does a Muslim show their submission and obedience to Allah?

In PSHE we will be learning about our brain, dealing with emotions and our strengths as part of the Happy Mind program. Parents will be sent a link to an app, which will offer further support at home. Details to follow.

Science

We will be learning about classification and changing habitats. We will explore grouping animals into vertebrates and invertebrates, grouping plants and the effect on habitats that seasons, human activity and nature have.

After half term, we will be learning about states of matter and exploring the differences between solids, liquids and gases.

Maths

In maths we will be learning about place value focusing on representing, partitioning, ordering, comparing and rounding numbers up to 1,000 in Year 3 and numbers up to 10,000 in Year 4.

Badger and Kingfisher class Autumn Term 2026



English

We will be using The Incredible Book Eating Boy by Oliver Jeffers to explore and write our own narrative texts.

Afterwards, we will be learning to write a diary basing this on the 'The Journal of Ilionia- a young slave' by Richard Platt.

We will also be writing a non-fiction information text based on Life in Antarctica.

Every week we will also have dedicated grammar lessons supporting the use of the correct punctuation, tenses and grammar in all these text types.

History and Geography

In history we will be exploring Roman Britain by investigating why the Romans invaded and settled in Britain and how the Celts responded.

In geography we will be exploring the physical features of Antarctica, examining how people adapt to working in this extreme environment and planning an expedition inspired by Shackleton's journey.

The Arts

In art, we will explore storytelling through drawing using the artwork of Laura Carlin and Shaun Tan.

In DT, the children will learn how to follow a recipe and make bread rolls.

In music this year the year 3s will be learning to play the ukelele and the year 4s will learn to play the guitar.

Things to remember...

PE will be on a Wednesday and Thursday.

Music lessons are on a Tuesday.

Children should bring in their reading books and reading records **every day.**