

## Communication & Literacy

The Communication Group will look at a selection of stories, eBooks and activities relating to the special events happening this term such as FunnyBones, Sparks in the Sky and A Very Noisy Christmas! We will be looking at a new book as we approach Christmas, entitled 'Leah's Star'.

Our literacy work will continue to relate to the different special events and topics covered over the term. We will continue to develop our functional literacy skills through a range of practical tasks such as completing timetables, Shopping lists and meal prep, Enterprise planning and applications etc.

## Functional Maths

Students will join their ability groups in maths and continue to focus on their individual math targets. They will engage in themed activities and games as well as use their mathematical skills practically throughout the week, i.e. shopping.

We continue our focus on **Number** and **Calculation** and will recap a little on **shape**. The group will be working on developing their recognition of numbers via warm-up activities and a weekly game of Bingo!

## Enterprise, Vocational and Work Experience

This term the Enterprise Group will be supporting the Remembrance Coffee Morning and organising a raffle and 'Hug Pudsey' (pupil's idea!) in order to raise some money for Children in Need. We will be hosting a Bacon Roll with Soup Day and of course preparing some goodies in the run up to Christmas!

## Celebrations & Good Times

Term 2

Albatross Class



## Topic

Our topic work will focus on celebrations and good times, which fits very nicely with leading up to Christmas. We are hoping to do lots of celebrating! We will also be wishing Hannah a very special 18<sup>th</sup> birthday!

We will look at some of the different and many ways we celebrate both in our country and around the world and find out a little more about how some of the Traditions originated. We will mostly be practising for our Christmas Performance and celebrating our achievements!

## PSHE and Careers

Our PSHE focus this term will be on Social Media and how we can stay safe online. We will think about all the latest social media platforms that young people use today, including Tik Tok and Instagram. We will focus on Anti-Bullying Week and the importance of kindness to others.

Maggie, our Careers Advisor will be visiting!

Yr 14 students will continue to rotate working in the OXSRAD Café for work experience. Ben will be continuing his placement at the local Budgens.

Two pupils will be joining sessions with Robin Class in the Sensory Pathway throughout the week, focusing on Cooking, Art, Sensory Story, Music and singing with the Trinity Ladies.

## Other Curriculum areas: Independent Living Skills –

- Creative & practical skills – creating displays and resources for play
- Shopping for Friday lunch choice & Enterprise Projects
- Sensory cooking/Art Activities
- Household chores
- Recycling & food waste
- Budgeting & money management

## Recreation & Leisure –

- Swimming
- OXSRAD Leisure Centre – Rebound & gym / cycling at Wheels4All

## Special Events - RE and British Values

Special Events that our happening in the class this term:

- \*Bonfire Night
- \*Remembrance
- \*Children in Need
- \*Anti-Bullying Week
- St Andrews Day
- Hannukah
- Christingle
- \*Christmas Performance
- \*Christmas Party & Film Day