

Squirrels Class - Autumn Term 2

How and where are significant people commemorated?

Academic:

This term we are looking at significant individuals. This is a geography focused unit, however, there will still be a history thread running alongside this. This topic is focusing on how we recognise significant people and where they are located in the world, but also the reasoning behind their significance.



In English we are going to be looking at formal invitations followed by stories from different cultures. In maths we are continuing with addition and subtraction. We will be starting to look at subtraction then looking at comparing numbers and finding missing numbers. Following on from this we will then move on to multiplication and division.

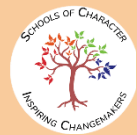
In Science we are looking at animals' needs for survival. At the end of last term, we began this unit by identifying what a mammal is and how they survive. We will move on to looking at Birds, Fish, Amphibians, Reptiles and Humans.

Miss Smith will continue to deliver PE lessons on a Wednesday and I will teach PE on a Friday.

Character:

Our Character Virtues for this half term are: Caring, Citizenship and Courtesy. However, we will always refer to the other virtues throughout the term. Last half term there were so many virtues spotted and all of the children were confidently talking about Character. This is something we will continue to talk about all the time.

We try to spot as many virtues in action throughout the school day, even if it is not a focus virtue. If any virtues are spotted at home, please share these with us via Dojo.



Community:

We will continue looking at our local area of Clawton. We will also be welcoming parents into school for many events such as Parents evening, Christmas fayre and a Christmas Carol service. We also have a trip to Davidstow planned for the whole school. Which will give us a chance to reach out to the wider community.



Digital and Innovation:

As innovators this term, we will be creating poppies during November for Remembrance Day. We will also be creative and resourceful when we create our Christmas crafts. As digital innovators we started using the Chromebooks last half term. Squirrels will continue to develop their computing skills this half term. They will also learn how a computer program works understanding that algorithms are used on digital devices.

