

Core signs for our topic this term.



Our topic this term is 'Everyday Heroes', here are some related signs for you to practice.

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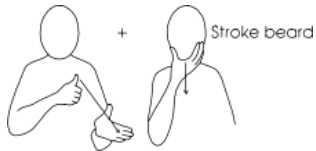
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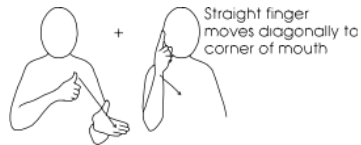
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postman



postwoman



family



harvest



Don't forget to say the words as you sign!



Sycamore Class Key stage 2 Information for parents Term 1 2025

Class Teacher and Teaching Assistants:
Sam Davis (Teacher- Monday, Wednesday and Thursday)
Charlotte Conway (TA)
Kerry Maltby (TA)
Janie Rumley (TALL-Tuesday and Friday)

Experiences/visits/visitors:

As part of this exciting topic we will be being visited by some every day heroes.



Regular events:

PE Enrichment will take place each Thursday afternoon and pupils will be engaging in a choice of different activities each term.

PE will take place each Tuesday morning. Please make sure pupils bring in their PE kits for this day.

Everyday Heroes

General Information:

Welcome back! We hope you had a lovely summer. We are looking forward to lots of activities linked to our new topic 'Everyday Heroes'.

Homework and contact:

Please read and share books with your child every day.

The Home/School Journals are in place for us both to write in so we can keep each other up to date about your children.

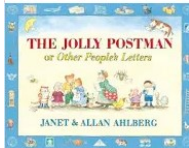
If you have any questions please contact the school office or speak to one of the team when dropping off or picking up.

Ideas for home:

- Talk to your child about heroes in your family or that you know
- Involve your child in cooking activities at home, talking about the equipment used, and of course helping to wash up!

Literacy and Phonics:

In Literacy we will continue to develop our phonic skills and developing our ability to spell. This term we will be looking at letters and how to write them. We will also be looking at the text 'The Jolly Postman' and other books related to the family.



Maths:

In Maths we will be continuing to extend our knowledge of number in different ways. This term we will be looking at place value, addition and subtraction. We will be using white rose, developing the use of manipulatives to support our learning and engaging in problem solving.



Science

In Science we will be learning about The human body and its different functions. We will be looking at being able to identify, name, draw and label the parts of the human body.



Computing



This term we will be continuing to learn about how to be safe online and the importance of this,

We will be looking at different computer systems and networks and extending our programming skills using beebots.

Music

Pupils will develop their instrumental and notation skills to play short melodies and rhythms on tuned instruments including the keyboard and/or chime bars. Pupils will develop their singing skills to learn a variety of WW2 and Harvest themed songs.



Food Tech

This term in food technology will be focusing on nutrition and what we can eat that is healthy. We will be engaging with recipes that include fruits and vegetables. We will be engaging in making smoothies, fruit kebabs, salads and stir fry



History

In History we will be looking at the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements. We will be learning about the inspirational achievements of Mary Seacole and Florence Nightingale, and compare aspects of their lives during the Crimean War with life today.

PSHE (Personal, social and health education) and RSE

This term we are going to be learning how to wash up and tidy our cooking equipment. In RSE we will begin to explore relationships and look at the features of different families.

Physical Education:

This term, students are extending their physical skills in PE by refining coordination, control, and accuracy. They are focusing on applying rolling, throwing, catching, bouncing, sliding, striking, and tracking in more complex challenges, games, and team activities



Religious Education:

We will be looking at which times are special and why to Christians. This will include Harvest festival.



PE Enrichment

Pupils will have PE Enrichment on Thursday afternoons and will be doing different activities each term.

