

Aspire Newsletter.

Our classes

Robins - Mrs Smith

Starlings - Mrs Adebiyi / Mrs Phillips

Wrens - Miss Hage

Nightingales - Mrs Hughes

Sparrows - Miss Webb

Ravens - Mr Phillips

Kingfishers - Miss Kelsey

Woodpeckers - Mrs Spinks



Romans

All classes this term will be learning about the history of the Romans.

The children will be learning about where the Romans invaded Britain, what life was like in Roman Britain and significant Roman rulers such as Julia Ceaser and Boudicaa.

They will continue to gain an understanding of the timeline of History throughout Britain and explore ways in which we know about the Romans including significant Roman sites.

The unit will end with life in Roman Britain compared with life in Britain today and how the Roman invasion impacts how we live today.

**Whole school Roman
workshop
Monday 20th
January**



Aspire Sports

Tuesdays is PE day. Please ensure that all pupils wear their PE kit on a Tuesday.

Swimming - Wrens, Sparrows, Nightingales

Special league football tournament: **Wednesday 5th February**

Aspire Daily mile

Everyday the children at Aspire are given the option of starting the day by running laps of the playground and accessing the outdoor play equipment. Many children find this exercise a positive start to the day and enables them to burn off excess energy that may have been acquired from a long car journey and also stimulate their brain ready for learning and concentrating.

Forest school

This term Wrens and Nightingales will be participating in Forest school sessions on a Tuesday.

Other learning this half term:

PE - Dance

Computing - creating digital media

PSHE - Relationships and online safety

Science - Animals including humans, electricity and light

We are continuing to work with Bexley music this year with a new teacher: Mr Crichton.

Tuesdays - Robins
Wednesdays - Ravens,
Woodpeckers



Diary Dates

Friday 14th February - Staff training day (no pupils)

Monday 17th - Friday 21st February - Half Term

Monday 24th February - Staff training day (no pupils)

DT

This term's DT focus will be learning about the mechanisms: levers and sliders. The children will have a chance to explore how to make pictures move by making a range of different sliders and levers. They will then design and make their own moving pictures using one of these methods.

The staff had great fun learning about these skills during a recent staff meeting and are looking forward to teaching them to the children.

This term we welcome back Mrs Phillips from her maternity leave. Mrs Phillips will be teaching in Starlings class for part of the week and is the English lead at Aspire.

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