

How you can help your child at home

- Make sure your child is reading regularly and a range of genres
- Practise times tables and spellings patterns
- Ensure homestudy is done to a high standard
- Support your child with any additional work they may have
- Encourage them to be responsible for their belongings, making sure they have what they need for each day

Useful Websites

www.mathszone.co.uk

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks2/>



Useful Apps

2048	Doubling skills
Maths Champions	Times tables fun brain games
Matific	Maths games
King of Maths	All areas of maths
SpellFix	Spelling tricky words
Spelling Test	Good for recognising correct spellings—race against the clock!
Squeebles Spelling Test	£2.99 Lets you set up personalised spelling tests
Young Voices app	

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Birch and Lime Class (Year 6)

Curriculum Newsletter

Spring Term 2018

Class Teachers: Mrs Richardson, Mr Carter

Support Staff: Mrs Dawson, Mrs Perry



This half term, our inspirational figure is J.M. Barrie, the author of Peter Pan. After looking at extracts from the novel, we will be creating our own class 'Neverlands', complete with history, culture and values—and some fantastical creatures! As the term moves on, we will find out some shocking news about our islands, and will be working hard to save them. We'll also continue practising our O2 songs, ready for our performance on 5th February.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

PSHCE

Communication skills
Mindfulness and wellbeing activities
Children's rights and responsibilities

Learning behaviours

Developing learning behaviours through group work such as:
Resourcefulness
Collaboration
Problem solving
Innovative thinking

Communication, Language and Literacy

Book Focuses: Peter Pan – J.M. Barrie

The Rabbits – John Marsden & Shaun Tan

Focused guided reading sessions, questioning and responses to the text.

Diary entry/blog

The day we arrived in Neverland

Instructions

Through our fantasy isle in the style of Neil Gaiman

Persuasive letter

Why our part of the fantasy island shouldn't be demolished

Mathematical Development

Calculating using fractions, decimals and percentages

Time—timetables, analogue, digital

Measurement:

Weight

Capacity

Length

Area and perimeter

Statistics—tables and charts, bar and line graphs, pie charts

Problem solving and reasoning skills

Everyday practice of a range of skills in Morning Maths sessions

Enchanted Isle

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Science

Inheritance and evolution

Geographical

Describe and understand key aspects of human geography, including: settlements, land use and economic activity including trade links.

Create maps of locations

History

Looking at the experiences of men, women and children through history, focusing on their ideas, beliefs, attitudes and rights

Pros and cons of forms of governance

Physical Development

Hockey

Attacking

Defending

Ball control

Athletics

Develop flexibility, strength, technique, control and balance while competing against themselves and others

Creative Development

Art

Create a map of our island using collage painting techniques to create a range of textures

Music

O2 Young Voices choir—songs and dance moves