



Olive Class



Curriculum Map - Autumn Term 2025

English	Mathematics	Art
In Literacy this term the pupils will be looking at books written by Roald Dahl. They will begin to compare his books. We will also be reading and acting out playscripts of familiar stories. They will also be working on their phonic, learning sounds and working at blending these and recognising them in texts.	Pupils this term will focus on Place Value and Number working with numerals to 20 and beyond. This will be taught through a range of concrete apparatus including: Ten Frames and Part Whole. They will learn the fundamentals of addition and subtraction. They will then move on to recognising 2D shapes. Money and Time skills will be revisited every term.	Pupils will work on the themes of 'China' and 'Significant Events' this term. Art lessons begin by looking at a piece of artwork linked to the theme, to encourage discussion. They will explore a range of materials, including pencil and paint, collage and sculpture allowing them to develop their technique and creativity.
RE	PE	Food Technology
This term pupils will focus on the religion Christianity. They will examine what it means to be a Christian and why Christians describe themselves as belonging to the family of the Church. They will read some stories from the Bible to support this understanding. Pupils will learn about the symbolism of Light within the Christian Church and other religions of the world.	Physical Education lessons begin in the autumn term with simple "invasion" games such as football and tag to give the pupils chance to develop their team work and cooperation skills. From this they progress on to learning the basic rules of rugby and begin to focus on core abilities in multi-skills circuits, before finishing the term learning to play basketball and then hockey.	The first half of the term will involve looking at the history of pasta, how it is made and its importance in some cultures. After the half term break the class will be learning how to make different types of pastry including shortcrust, puff and rough and knowing the uses for sweet and savoury pastries.
Science	Topic	Music and Drama
Pupils compare animal young to their adults. How animals change as they grow up and be introduced to the life cycles of several varied common animals, including humans. Introduced to the basic needs of animals for survival. How to look after pets. Look at healthy lifestyles and good hygiene. Then look at Astronomy and a basic overview of Earth and its place in our Solar System.	Pupils will study the human and physical geography of Norwich and compare and contrast to that of Beijing. Pupils will build upon prior learning of the four countries that make up the UK and will explore similarities and differences between China and the UK. They will move on to look at which significant events are remembered and celebrated yearly and why.	In Music, pupils will begin with the 'Let Your Spirit Fly' Charanga unit. This unit focuses on a song based around the R&B style of music. In Drama, they will begin by exploring emotions through role play, using expression and body language and building simple characters through scenarios.
Computer Science	RSHE	Outdoor Learning
Pupils will learn about how what they do online leaves a trail called a digital footprint. They will look at how to improve their online searches, the types of websites that are best for children when looking for information, as well as how to identify inappropriate content and the actions they should take if they do.	We will be looking at families and people who care for us, and how to care for one another. We will also be looking at caring friendships, including falling out and making up.	The focus on outdoor learning will begin with trees, their importance to our environment and the many uses of materials we can obtain from them. Following this will be activities incorporating looking at native animals, their activities, groups and their habitats.