

Literacy

Reading

It is important that you continue to hear your child read and discuss the text with them. You could ask them:

- Can the title tell you what the story might be about?
- Can the pictures tell you what the story is about?
- Who is in the story?
- What happens in the beginning, middle and end of the story?

Your child will receive a Readingwise username and password. This is an online programme that supports decoding. We recommend doing this 3 times a week. Please sit with your child and support them when needed.

Listening and Talking

Model good questions when asking your child about their day

- What was your favourite part of today?
- Can you tell me one thing you now know that you didn't know this morning?

IDL and STEM



Watch and discuss these videos about scientists and engineers with your child.

How you can help at home

French

This term, key vocabulary will link to greetings, feelings and numbers. Greetings, classroom routines and commands will also be embedded into daily routines.

Pupils will build their confidence through speaking and listening activities, games and songs

Some useful French words and phrases to practise:

bonjour - hello

salut - hi

au revoir - goodbye

à demain – see you tomorrow

Ça va? – how are you?

Ça va super bien / très bien – I am very good

Ça va bien – I am good

Comme ci, comme ça – I'm ok

Ça ne vas pas – I'm not good

Ça va mal – I'm not well

Numeracy

- Practise saying forward and backwards number sequences.
- Count in 2s, 3s, 4s, 5s and 10s.
- Say numbers before, after and between given numbers.
- Look out for regular updates on Showbie and ask your child about their learning.

Maths

- Look out for shapes in your environment. Ask your child to describe them.
- Ask questions like
“How many sides does it have?”
“How many vertices (corners)?”

Useful websites

www.topmarks.co.uk

www.ictgames.com

www.toytheater.com