

Year 1

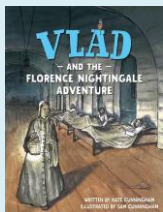
Spring Term 1

Writing:

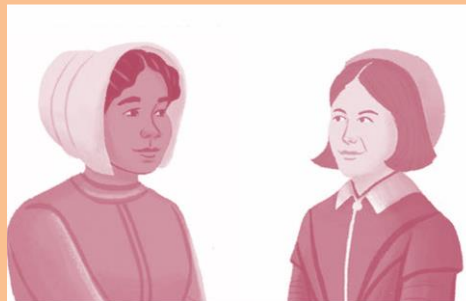
Using their phonics knowledge and basic sentence structure, children will write their own story and instructions.

Reading:

Our focus texts this half term are:



Our topic is: Nurturing Nurses



Why should we remember Florence Nightingale?

Maths:

Children will be exploring number through place value, addition and subtraction, with numbers up to 50.

Science:

Children will be identifying the basic parts of the human body, they will learn to name, draw and label these parts. They will also be looking at our senses and learning which part of the body is associated with each sense.

History:

Children will learn about the life of Florence Nightingale and how she changed history.

Hook

The Open Box Theatre Company will be coming to visit us to take us back in time! They will discover how the lady with the lamp saved the lives of countless people and how she changed nursing forever.

Express

We will be inviting parents in to watch a class assembly showcasing our learning.

DT:

Children will make and write get well soon cards to the community, using slider and lever mechanisms.

PSHE:

'Dreams and Goals'

Children will learn to explain how they feel when they are successful and how this can be celebrated positively. They will also be able to say why their internal treasure chest is an important place to store positive feelings.

PE:

Children be using their cognitive skills to follow simple instructions. They will be learning to balance on a line and in a variety of stances.

Computing:

Children will be learning how to program a moveable toy.

RE:

Children will discuss their favourite stories and what we learn from them, linking this to some of the stories that Jesus told.

Music:

We will listen & appraise styles of music and continue to embed the interrelated dimensions of music through games and singing.

Home learning opportunities!

Our PE days are **Wednesdays** and **Thursdays**.

Please ensure children wear suitable PE clothing in the colder weather so they can take part in outdoor PE. Please also ensure that your children have earrings and other jewellery removed on PE days for their safety.

Creative Zone:

We love to see your collages, paintings, drawings and any books you make to show the class.

Florence is known as the lady with the lamp. Can you make your own lamp? Perhaps you could use paper, card, papier mache, a recycled bottle or even a plastic tea light candle!

Can you write a fact file about Florence Nightingale? Why was she significant?

Can you write instructions for how to wash your hands properly for your family to follow.

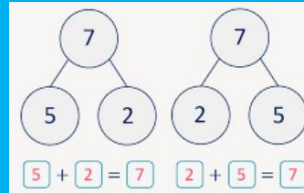
If you create anything at home that you would be happy to share, we would love to see your ideas!

Maths:

How high can you write your numbers?

Can you practice writing your numbers in words?

Can you make a part-part whole model at home and show your grown up how to make it into a number sentence?



Reading:

All children should be reading their phonics matched book at home. They will receive a sticker once they have read it 5 times- this is to ensure that they build the fluency they need to become accurate and skilled readers.

Please ensure you are encouraging your child to read regularly, filling in their passport and that **all books are returned on Thursdays** so we can swap them for new ones.

There are also more books available on Oxford Owl.

Dates:

Monday 6th January
Return to school

Thursday 9th January
OpenBox visit

Monday 13th January
Numbots parent introduction at 9:05

Thursday 6th February
Seahorse class assembly @2:30

Friday 7th February
Jellyfish class assembly @2:30

Monday 10th February
Octopus class assembly @2:30

Friday 14th February
Last day of term