



<p>English Our first book this half term is 'The Elephant Detectives' by Ged Adamson. We will be writing a non-chronological report inspired by this book. Our second book is 'Rainbow hands' by Mamta Nainy, with a focus of letter writing. Little Wandle phonics lessons will also continue 4 days a week, along with reading our Author of the Month books each day.</p>	<p>Maths In maths this half term we will be moving on to subtraction. We will be using objects to solve problems and exploring how addition and subtraction facts are related.</p> 	<p>PSHE We'll be learning about 'Being safe'. In this topic, we are focussing on what it means to give and withhold permission. We will also be going into detail about how to stay safe online by following the SMART rules. Information about the SMART rules can be found on our website, in the Online Safety policy.</p>
<p>Swimming Unfortunately, the swimming pool at Haden Hill remains closed. We will be using this time to finish our computing learning and engage in additional PE sessions.</p>	<p>Curriculum Newsletter Spring Term 2024 (Second Half) Yellow Class</p> 	<p>Computing Following the conclusion of our trips to the Ridge, we will be continuing with our learning about 'Digital writing', using word processors and keyboards to create our own words and learn to type our names.</p>
<p>Geography We will be continuing our topic on 'Human Geography', building on our knowledge of the features of towns and the countryside to think about the impact humans have had on a landscape.</p>	<p>Science We will be exploring life cycles and growing. We will be learning about how different animals grow and change. We are lucky to have 8 eggs in an incubator in school, so we will be watching them hatch and helping to look after the chicks, how exciting!</p>	<p>Forest School Our forest school sessions restart again this half term, with a focus of 'Outdoor cooking'. We are so excited to experience the outdoors and apply our cooking skills from our food technology lessons.</p>
<p>PE Our PE sessions this term will be focussed on Badminton skills. We will play lots of fun games to improve our hand eye co-ordination skills and practise using equipment safely. We will also be starting our regular yoga practise.</p>	<p>Music Our weekly Charanga session will be entitled 'Contrast'. Pupils will be joining in with singing in their own way and working on identifying differences and contrasts in a range of pieces of music.</p>	<p>Community Visits Pupils will enjoy a bi-weekly community visit which will be as follows: Week 1 – Ashwood Nursery Week 3 – Merry Hill Week 5 – The Library Our friends from the Ridge Primary will be visiting us on Thursdays to help us with our learning as part of our shared integration.</p>
<p>Horticulture Building on our learning about bulbs and seeds, we are going to be selecting what crops we want to grow at school and preparing our plot ready for planting.</p>	<p>RE As usual will be a focused week at the end of the half term. This time we'll be looking at Where Do rules come from? And having lots of discussion.</p>	