

Heroes and Villains

Martin Luther, Joan of Arc, Rosa Parks or Amy Johnson? Someone from your family or the local firefighters? There are many heroes and heroines, but who do you admire the most? How does it feel to do good and bad things? Which feels best and why? Can you do a good deed that changes the world?

This term we will be reading Dodie Smith's *The Hundred and One Dalmatians* and focussing our reading and writing all around the book. We will write a description of Cruella de Vil, focus on using conjunctions to extend our sentences and write a set of instructions of how to care for a dalmatian.

Spikey Values

Can you ensure that, as parents and carers, you put a great value on school and education. Explain to your child that treating everyone with respect, being on time and in school every day, wearing the correct uniform and working hard in school is important to you. These are also important life skills. The value you place on these will be the value your child holds.

PE

Participation in PE is hugely important for the development of health, fitness and wider skills for learning such as resilience and collaboration.

Our PE days are:

Eider and Sandpiper - Wednesday and Thursday

Teal - Wednesday and Friday

Please remember children will now come to school dressed in their PE kit. Please check your child's P.E. kit follows the school uniform rules and it is appropriate for the weather.

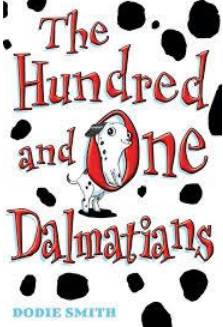
Homework

Homework will now be sent home in paper form. This will be sent home with your child on Tuesday and will be due on the following Monday. Additionally, please read with your children as much as possible and record it in their reading records, we encourage 3x a week. Please can your child bring these in each day so we can see how well they are doing at home as well as update books.

We would like to thank you for your continued support and look forward to a fun filled and busy term.

Miss Waterfield, Mrs Faulkner, Mrs Bunton and Mrs Iwasyszyn

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Our class book:	
	The hundred and One Dalmatians Dodie Smith
English:	Using adjectives to describe, using conjunctions, writing narratives and instructions.
Design and Technology	We will be making our own finger puppets.
Computing:	Online safety
History:	In History we will be exploring historical heroes and villains including Amy Johnson, Rosa Parks, Martin Luther King and Bonnie and Clyde.
Mathematics:	Multiplication and division.
Music:	We will be learning how to find a pulse in a song, sing in time to music, use their voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes to an audience and learning how to play tuned and untuned instruments.
PE:	We are looking at Yoga this term. Using our balancing skills, and creating short sequencing of Yoga movements.
PSHE:	Dreams and Goals: we will be thinking about goals we have and how we can achieve these goals. Thinking about how to overcome challenges we may face along the way.
Science:	We will be finding out about who Maria Sibylla Merian and learning about how animals change as they grow.