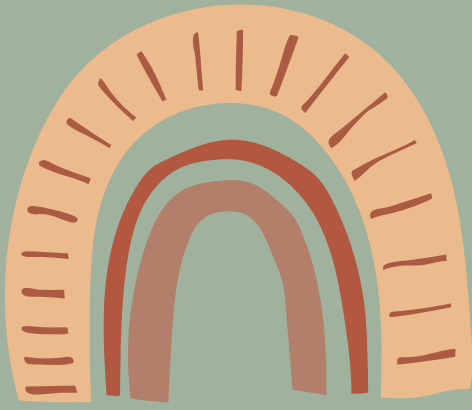




Oak Newsletter



OAK CLASS NEWS!

Welcome to Little Gonerby Church of England Primary Academy we are thrilled to have you as part of our school family! We have an exciting term ahead as your child takes their first steps in their school journey

TERM 1- ALL ABOUT ME

During this term the children will learn about themselves and what makes them special with the children having opportunities to talk about their families and begin to recognise that all families are different.

They will explore what they look like and the names of different parts of their body. The children will begin to explore different feelings and what to do when they experience those feelings. They will learn about sharing and working together with other children and the importance of listening to others thoughts and feelings

REMINDERS

- ✓ PE day is a Wednesday, please ensure that PE kit is worn, earrings are taken out and hair is tied back.
- ✓ You child will begin to bring home a book, please read and discuss this book at home but bring it to school daily.
- ✓ The gates will be open for drop off at 8.35am, the children need to be in their class by 8.45am. The children need to be collected by 3.15pm

TERM 2- ONCE UPON A TIME

Through this term the children will explore traditional tales. They will discuss simple stories, some of which they will be familiar with, gradually building their knowledge and repertoire of stories until they can confidently retell them.

Children will become more confident when discussing ideas with the whole class, talking about characters from the stories they have read and if we see characters repeated in different stories.

MATHS

Term 1- This term we focus on sorting, matching and comparing. The children will play games where they need to identify objects and use key phrases such as 'same' and 'different' and explain why. They will also be exploring patterns and creating their own simple repeating pattern.

Term 2- This term the children will be focussing on numbers up to 5, looking at the different ways we represent those numbers. This expands into 2D shapes exploring 1, 3 and 4 sided shapes.

LITERACY

Term 1- The children will be learning nursery rhymes and singing them together with their new friends. The children will be introduced to traditional stories and begin to understand that order in stories is important

Term 2- This term has lots of opportunities to read traditional tales, they will learn how to sequence a story building on their knowledge from the previous term understanding that order is important in stories. The children will also begin to explore descriptive language.

