

HNB Spring 2 2017 Newsletter



Cornerstone topic for this half term is ...

Splendid Skies!

With the main focus being The Weather



As part of our topic, both HNB classes will take a "Nature's Treasure" walk to search for signs of Spring and Summer. We will look at trees, leaves, flowers and other natural objects. We will investigate the weather by looking up at the sky and identifying the size, shape and colour of different clouds.

We will learn how to use an anemometer to measure the speed of the wind. Following on from this we will make our own kites and visit Carlton Bank to fly them!

In literacy we will make mini books of our Nature Walk, study weather poems and create our own "Weather Poem." We will also make lists, write instructions and postcards. We will study the weather in our other Curriculum subjects such as;

Science - Look at different weather types associated with different seasons. Study different types of the weather.

Geography - Look at weather in different countries around the world. Look at weather forecasts.

Music - Listen to music associated with different weather types.

Art and Design - Look at and create paintings associated with the weather.

In ICT we will use programmable toys to follow directions.

Finally ...

We will be swimming for the first two weeks after half term at Coulby Newham Swimming Baths. We will walk to the baths after morning break each day. Children need to come to school with a bag containing a swimming costume and trunks, (no bikinis or long swimming shorts), a towel and suitable footwear to walk to the baths. If your child wishes to wear goggles a permission letter needs to be signed.



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HNB would like to remind parents that children who do not follow the school behaviour policy will not be invited to go on the planned visits or the swimming lessons.

