Reception Spring Term



All Around The World

As we spring into a new year, our focus this term will be learning about the world around us with a particular focus on China and the Chinese New Year celebrations held around the world. The Year of the Dragon will give us lots of opportunities for writing our own stories, learning to count in Cantonese and creating a dragon dance.

We will continue to have daily writing and phonic sessions, which are delivered through the Read, Write Inc. programme. These sessions aim to develop the children's understanding of sounds and support them in building word recognition and blending ready for reading. The children will visit the school library once a week to choose a book of their choice.

Maths is taught using the Maths No Problem programme which supports children to have a deeper understanding of number and use questioning to solve mathematical problems. Maths is also explored throughout the learning environment, both inside and out. Our focus is on counting, composition of numbers up to five and using language related to time, night and day, the days of the week, months of the year and sequencing events.

This term the children will have the wonderful opportunity to learn Jèrriais through songs and stories delivered once a week by Jèrriais teacher Robyn Conway.

Let's enjoy our journey around the world this term.