



HAWKSWORTH WOOD
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Curriculum Newsletter

Autumn Term 2 Willis Class

Mr Wood, Mrs Hartley and Miss
Gregson

English

In English this half term we enter the world of Plop and his adventures with the classic story of 'The Owl who is Afraid of the Dark' where we will be planning, editing and writing an alternative ending for the story.

Maths

This half term we will be exploring our 2 times tables, focusing on learning them out of order. We will also be exploring addition and subtraction within 100 and looking at exchanging tens and ones alongside the column method to help with calculations..

Information

Monday-Please return reading books.

Thursday-Reading books sent home.

Friday - Spellings sent home and homework uploaded on Seesaw.

Topic

Our theme this half term is 'Twit Twoo, We're Watching You'. We will be embracing all things surrounding these darker nights. In DT we will be creating a hibernating house for our woodland creatures. In PSHE our focus is how to stay safe and manage risk especially focussing on road safety and the darker nights, BE SAFE BE SEEN!

Science

This half term we will be continuing our learning about animals, we will be exploring habitats in the local environment and the children will be identifying how different habitats are suited to each living thing. We will be outside exploring the quad and investigating microhabitats. We will also be looking at nocturnal animals and finding out about how they use their senses to navigate in the dark.

Key Dates:

17th November - Children in need

7th December - Christmas Jumper day for Save the Children and Christmas dinner day

12th December – EYFS Nativity

13th December - KS1 Christmas show

14th and 15th December – KS2 Christmas Show

Christmas parties will be held in the last week of term in classrooms

22nd December – Training day