



YEAR R/1 ROBINS CLASS SPRING 2 2026 CURRICULUM NEWSLETTER

This half term, our curriculum theme is **'People who help us.'**



ENGLISH - WRITING

In Literacy, the children will start the half term by writing questions about what they would like to know about Florence Nightingale. They will then move on to writing a fact file explaining how nurses help us. Finally, the children will complete the life cycle of a plant. Reception children will continue to complete Drawing Club. This half term, they will begin to extend their sentences and use capital letters and full stops accurately.

ENGLISH - READING

During this half term, the children will be once again taking part in their RWI phonics and reading programme.

After practising the book at school for three days, the children will bring it home each Friday to read with you.



MATHEMATICS

Working within their year group level, the children will study units covering place value within 50, as well as length, height, mass, and volume. Reception children will continue with Mastering Number, as well as units on length, height, time, and shape.



HISTORY

In History, the children will learn about Florence Nightingale, Edith Cavell, and Mary Seacole.

SCIENCE

This half term, the children will be learning about plants and labelling their structures. They will also develop their observation skills and learn how to identify a variety of wild plants. Additionally, they will be planting seeds and keeping a plant diary.



They will also continue learning about the four seasons.

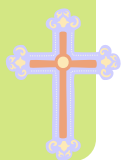
ART/DT

This half term, the children will learn how to join fabrics, design a puppet, make their own puppet, and decorate it.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

We will focussing on the enquiry question:
What does the cross mean to Christians?



COMPUTING

The children will be learning how to group data by, labelling and matching, grouping and counting, describing objects, creating different groups, and comparing them.



PSHE

The children will reflect on Healthy Me.



Music

The children will be continue to appraise different genres of music and they will develop their skills in performance and composition.

