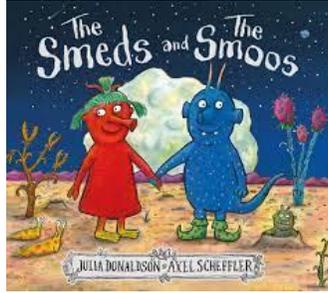


# Kipling class - term 5



## English

This term the books we will mainly be focusing on are 'Boy and Bot' and 'The Smeds and The Smoos.'

We will be looking at the relationships between the characters in these stories.

In our writing this term we will be trying to use adjectives to make our sentences more interesting. We will be designing our own robots and writing a description about them. We will also be looking at the setting of \_\_\_\_\_ and again describing and creating our own settings.

We will be focusing on phase 4 in our phonic sessions. This phase involves looking at consonant blends and learning many tricky words.

**Just a reminder reading daily with your child at home makes such a difference.**

## Physical Development

We will continue to have our PE session on **Mondays**.

This term we will be focusing co operation and problem solving. We will be playing games that involve both of these skills.

We will continue to practise forming and positioning the letters correctly when writing.

## Maths

This term in maths we will be looking at **To 20 and beyond and First Then Now**

Building numbers

Beyond 10

Counting patterns beyond 10

Spatial awareness – matching, rotate

Adding More

Take away

## Expressive Arts and Design

This term we will be designing and making our own robots. Will be trying out and evaluating different joining techniques.

We will be evaluating out models, talking about what we really like about our models and whether we could make the even better. We continue to provide many creative opportunities from drawing, painting, role play, singing and dancing.

## Communication and Language

This term we will be expanding our vocabulary by learning synonyms for different words.

We will be learning the importance of speaking clearly when giving instructions by playing different barrier games.

## Understanding the World

Linked to the story Boy+ Bot we will be looking at different machines and how these work. We will be programming simple robots to follow a set of instructions. Linked to The Smeds and The Smoos we will be looking at our Earth and the Solar system.

We will be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. As part of this we will be finding out about Kings and Queen from the past as well as Queen Elizabeth II. We will be finding out where London is relation to Bristol and will be looking at Buckingham Palace.

**Our forest School session will be on Friday morning.**

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The focus for our PSE this term is Relationships.

We will be thinking about our families, being part of the school community and how to be a good friend. We will be thinking how to solve problems when they arise and how to manage our feelings. We will be talking about how it is important to be kind to everyone and what to do if someone is unkind.

As we begin to think about moving up to year 1 we will be trying to work more independently and to have a go before asking an adult.

At the end of the year we assess the children against the early learning goals and say whether they have been met or not. Please find attached the Early learning goals so you know what the children are being assessed against.