



Class 1 – People Who Help Us

Over the next few weeks, we will be immersing ourselves in our topic theme for this term 'People Who Help us'.



Our areas of learning:

English

Our work in English will begin with looking at stories with repeated and predictable phrases and we will write a recount based during the time of Florence Nightingale. We will look at learning lots of new and exciting vocabulary from reading different poems. We will continue to develop our handwriting and letter formation ensuring our letters sit on the lines.

Maths

As mathematicians, we will continue to develop our understanding of numbers. We will continue to develop our addition and subtraction knowledge. We will use language to compare height, length and weight. We will also learn how to sequence the days of the week and months of the year.

Topic

We will be learning about the life of medical pioneer Florence Nightingale. We will be exploring different materials and their properties thinking about the suitability of different uniforms. We will continue to observe seasons and changes in weather. In Geography, we will look at human and physical features that affect our emergency vehicles. We will also look at aerial maps and how emergency services differ in other countries. Our artwork will see us creating winter paintings using different shades of colour. We will also use warm and cold colours to create fire pictures. We will be making a moving emergency vehicle using wheels and boxes. We will also be exploring sound through using various musical instruments and singing.



PSHE

We will be thinking about how rules and age restrictions help us; keeping us safe online and how to ask for help. We will also be thinking about keeping healthy; food and exercise, and hygiene routines. Keep an eye out for photos on our 'Bread Experiment'

Physical Education

During tennis sessions, we will be developing our racket and ball skills. We will be learning different animal poses when listening to stories. This will help to improve our flexibility, balance and strength.



RE

Continuing with our theme of helping, we will be exploring different Bible stories that show people helping others. We will take the lessons learnt through these stories and think about different ways that we can be helpful to others.