



Welcome to Ladybird Class
Mrs Minty

Ladybirds Class Staff

- The other adults that work alongside me in class are:
- Mrs Stephens (AM)
- Ms Clare (PM)
- Mrs Lay will be the teacher on Tuesday mornings.



Attendance & Labels

- Could you please try wherever possible to book routine medical and dental appointments out of school hours or during school holidays.
- Could you please name label your children's clothing and belongings.



Fantastic Friday



- We feel that it is important that we support any child who is struggling emotionally, socially and academically.
- These sessions allow us time to observe and support the children.
- A range of worthwhile activities -forest visits, listening to music, watching reflective videos, reading, chatting sessions, yoga and many more ...



Early Years Foundation Stage

Prime areas

Physical development

Communication and Language

Personal, Social and Emotional

Specific areas

English

Maths

The Arts

Understanding the World

Timetable

- Registration Activity
- Maths/English Activity
- Break Time
- Phonics
- Topic
- Child Initiated
- Lunch
- Child Initiated
- Snack
- Assemblies / Story Time



	8:40-9	9-9:10	9:10-10:05	10:15	10:30-11	11-11:50	12-1	1:00- 1.30	1.30-2	2-2:15	2.15 -3.00	3-3:25
Monday	Busy Hands	Welcome	Maths/English	Break	Phonics	ICT	Lunch	Prime Rhyme	P.S.H.E.	Snack	Child Initiated	STORY
Tuesday	Busy Hands	Welcome	Maths/English	Break	Phonics	Motor Skills	Lunch	P.E.		Snack	Child Initiated	STORY
Wednesday	Busy Hands	Welcome	Maths/English	Break	Phonics	A&D UTW	Lunch	Music	Music Library	Snack	Nurture Library	STORY
Thursday	Busy Hands	Welcome	Maths/English	Break	Phonics	R.E	Lunch	P.E		Snack	Child Initiated	STORY
Friday	Busy Hands	Welcome	Maths/English	Break	Phonics	UTW	Lunch	Child Initiated		Snack	Child Initiated	Celebration Assembly



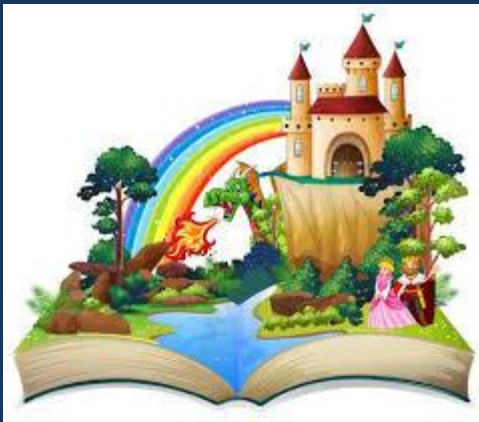
Term 1 - All About Me/
New Beginnings



Term 2 - Occupations



Term 3 - Space



Term 4 - Traditional Tales



Term 5 - Our Wonderful
World



Term 6 - Sealife

Teaching & Learning

- Mixed Ability Grouping
- Differentiation by support
- Reflection time / Learning Questions



English



- Reading
- Writing
- Phonics
- BOOK WEEK - in Term 4 with Dressing up day
- We will be following ELS Phonics





Reading

- Reading books / records to be read at home every night and returned to school every day
- If we can see that a child has been read with at least 3x a week, they will be given a special sticker as a reward.
- Reading with teacher and LSA's
- Independent Reading
- For enjoyment and for purpose



Maths

We follow White Rose Maths.

We will be looking at patterns, shapes and consolidating our understanding of numbers to 5 in the Autumn terms.



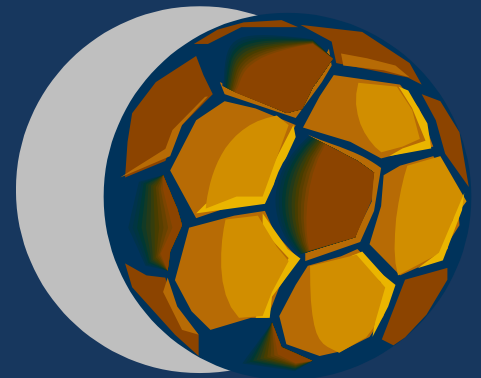


P.E.

P.E is timetabled on a Tuesday and a Thursday.

Please make sure everything is named.

No earrings please.



Behaviour



- Expectations - At Sheldwich, expected behaviour results in pegs remaining on the sunshine.
- Each session children's pegs start back on the sunshine.



- Reward & praise, stickers and house points

Homework

- 'Spellings' will be sent home WEEKLY (on a Friday) to be learnt and practised during the following week .
- English/Topic and Maths will be set FORTNIGHTLY on a Friday to be handed in a week Monday (2 weekends to complete)
- If homework is not handed in on time, children will have to complete a similar activity during the lunch hour as per our policy
- Independence / Support / Balance



Assessment

- Assessment -formative and summative
- Summative assessments once a term (Phonics).





Your Support

Your help is always appreciated and key to your child's success.

You can help by:

- Reading with and to your child every evening
- Ensuring that homework is completed to a good standard
- Talking to your child about their learning
- Helping to find information about their topic

E-Safety

In school

this is part of our curriculum

-children are supervised on line - we have restricted internet access.

At home

-Family safe restrictions can be set up

-Ask yourself:

-Do I know what websites my child is using ? (if they have their own log in account you can check using history)

Be social media smart.

-join them yourself - be aware of the age limits (lowest age limit for social media accounts is 13) - visit www.internetmatters.org for great advice and tutorials.



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18/13 with consent



Stay Informed

- www.sheldwich.kent.sch.uk/
- Lots of useful information
- Term dates etc
- Class pages
- Newsletter



Parents as Partners

Please look at the website for ideas to support your child's learning at home and to discover what we have planned and what we have been doing. We would love to hear and share any 'Good News', so write us a note or ping us a picture staying in touch via email:

ladybirds@sheldwich.kent.sch

These messages will be checked these daily, but please contact the office directly in an emergency or if we need to know any information for the day.





Thank you