



Herm Curriculum Newsletter

Spring Term 2026

Class Information

Teacher: Mr Harvey

LSAs in the Phase Mrs Martel

Welcome Back

Hello and welcome to 2026 in Herm class. We are hoping for a less eventful time with the boats this term although not a good start with storm Goretti.

The separate planned learning for both year groups is below but we will also do some joint projects including the development of our NEW allotment site.

The timetable will basically remain the same as that supplied in hard copy last term, with P.E. on Friday afternoons and Outdoor learning/Environmental studies on a Wednesday afternoon.

Although this is a relatively a short term (only 10 weeks) you will see that we have a full learning experience planned for both year groups.

Reception Learning for this Term

Drawing Club: (English)

Book	Title: The Worry Monsters Author: Sue Lancaster
Traditional Tale	Title: The Boy Who Cried Wolf Author: Aesop
(Old) TV Cartoon	Title: Magic Roundabout Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c3DcChXNyYQ
Book	Title: Scared of a Bear Author: Hilda Offen
Traditional Tale	Title: Jack and the Beanstalk Author: Unknown
(Old) TV Cartoon	Title: Mr Benn (1st episode) Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5RyzaZD81z4&list=PLezfVOs sQZw5f3IUQQSq2afA4UZnWhzmo
Book	Title: Monkey Puzzle Author: Julia Donaldson
Traditional Tale	Title: Wind and The sun Author: Tomie De Paola
(Old) TV Cartoon	Title: The Trap Door (The big red thing) Link: The Trap Door (S02E15) - The Big Red Thing HD
Book	Title: We're going on a Bear Hunt Author: Michael Rosen

Maths:

This term in maths we will be learning:

Introducing 0. Comparing numbers to 5. Composition of 6-10. Making pairs. Counting out numbers to 10. Subitising 6-10. Combining 2 amounts. 9 and 10. Comparing number to 10. Number bonds to 10. Consolidation. Partitioning 2,3,4,5 and 10, repeating pattern, mass and capacity, length, height and time, height, length and time. 2D & 3D shapes.

Learning in other areas of the curriculum:

Understanding the world - Chinese New Year, Prominent People from past and present, Looking at similarities/differences between life in Guernsey and life elsewhere, Maps in Guernsey and using google earth, Seasons - Winter. Looking at arctic animals, arctic countries, Comparing arctic to own environment, Seasons - plant growth- observing changes over time - spring, new life

Science - - Food tasting- Chinese New Year, healthy eating, looking at food groups, Pancake day - making pancakes, Melting ice experiments Planting at the allotment

I.T. -e-safety, iPad photos, jit5, Using recordable equipment

Learning at Home:

Please see our new [Home Learning Guide](#). This outlines the expectations of home learning for each year group and ideas for how to achieve them.

Generic Weekly Timetable

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Morning 1	Phonics Maths	Vauvert	Phonics Maths	Phonics Maths	Phonics Maths
Morning 2	Kinetic Letters	Vauvert	Reading KL	Reading KL	Drawing Club
Afternoon	EAD Drawing Club	Vauvert	Drawing Club UW	Drawing Club UW	Art PE

General Information:

Wednesday PM - Outdoor Learning Clothes

Friday PM - PE Kit

Dates for your diary:

Please keep an eye on Dojo for additional dates throughout the year.

Half Term - Monday 16th February - Friday 20th February

Comic Relief - Friday 20th March

Parents Evening - Tuesday 17th and Wednesday 18th March

End of Term (Finish at 1pm) - Friday 27th March

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