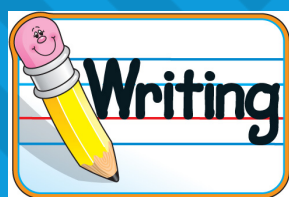


English - Spring 1



Find out what our children will be learning in English, at Rossmere Academy.

Early Years



Nursery are reading books by Mick Inkpen and the books will be linked to the theme, 'Vet and Pets'.

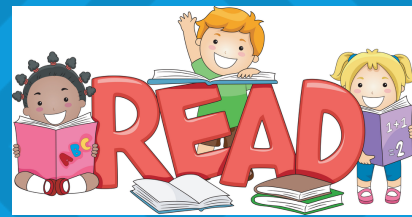
They will also be learning about rhyme and being able to identify changes in rhymes and songs always. They will work on name recognition and understanding direction (up, down) as a precursor to writing letters in Summer term.

Reception are reading books such Farmer Duck, Jasper's Beanstalk, and Machines on the Farm linked to the theme 'Ready, Steady Grow'. This will support the children to develop independence in writing simple sentences ensuring they are using a capital letter, fingers spaces and a full stop. They will also experience writing labels for drawings.

Key Stage 1

Year 1 are reading 'Paddington' by Michael Bond. They will be writing a similar story and a recount.

Year 2 are reading 'George And The Dragon' by Chris Wormell. They will be retelling a similar story and writing report about dragons.



Lower Key Stage 2



Year 3 are reading 'The Lost Whale' by Hannah Gold. They will then write a similar narrative story and a non-chronological report.

Year 4 are reading 'The Last Bear' by Hannah Gold. They will then write a story in the same style and a persuasive text.

Upper Key Stage 2

Year 5 are reading 'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty. They will then write a story in the same style as the author and a procedural structure.

Year 6 are reading 'Letters From a Lighthouse' by Emma Carroll. They will then write a story similar story from the point of view of two characters and a discussion text.

