



Welcome to Beech Class!

Autumn 2025

Welcome to Beech Class, the children are starting to settle and have been busy over the last week getting to know new friends, staff, routines and classrooms! New learning has also started as we begin to explore the world of Frogs!



The Curriculum

As children join Year 1 they start 'Key Stage 1' and begin to cover the National Curriculum. Across the year they move from learning through play towards more formal learning. Our timetable includes daily English, Maths, Handwriting and Phonics. Alongside weekly Science, Art and DT, Topic History/ Geography), Music, R.E. PSHE, Computing, and P.E. lessons.

Adults

Miss Anderson
Mrs Taylor (TA)
Miss HB (TA)

Mrs Sibley
(Teaching Tues AM)

Don't Forget

P.E. days are **Tuesday**
and **Thursday**

Bring reading books.
water bottle and coat
everyday

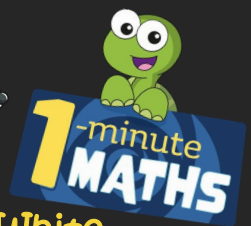
Name EVERYTHING!

Phonics

We will continue to teach phonics daily, following [ELS phonics](#). In the week beginning the 8th of June children will take part in the national [Phonics Screening Check](#) assessment. This check helps confirm whether children have made expected progress in phonics. For the check children sit with and read a mixture of 40 real and made up words. It normally takes about 15 minutes but there is no time limit and the test can be stopped at anytime.

Support from home:

- Practise 'Real Life' maths (measuring, counting and calculating within everyday tasks and activities). This can be supported with [Numbots](#) or the [White Rose Maths' 1-Minute Maths'](#) app.



- Read as often as possible, not just the school reading book.

- Encourage writing and practise letter formation with the help of [Letter-join](#). Click on:

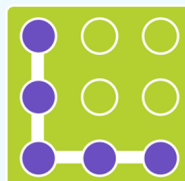
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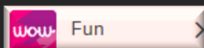
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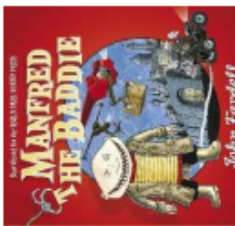
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Year Group: 1		Class: Beech				Teacher: Miss Anderson	
TOPICS/UNITS OF WORK							
Subject	AUT1	AUT2	SPR1	SPR2	SUM1	SUM2	
English	 Oi Frog	 The Night Box Orion and the Dark	 Mole's Star	 Where the Wild Things are	 Manfred the Baddie	 The Queen's Hat	
Maths	Number Place Value (Within 10)	Number Addition and Subtraction (Within 10) Geometry Shape	Number Place Value (Within 20) Number Addition and Subtraction (Within 20)	Number Place Value (Within 50) Measurement Length and Height Mass and Volume	Number Multiplication and Division Fractions Geometry Position and Direction	Number Place Value (Within 100) Measurement Money Time	
Geography/ History	Geography: Our Local Area What's it like where we live?	History: My Family History What was life like when our grandparents were children?	Geography: People and their Communities Where in the world do these people live?	History: The Greatest Explorers Who were the greatest explorers?	Geography: Animals and their Habitats Where do our favourite animals live?	History: Great Inventions – Transport How did flight change the world? Why were the Rainhill trials important?	
Science	The Human Body Seasonal Changes	Materials Seasonal Changes	Planting A Animals	Caring for the planet Seasonal Changes Planting B	Plants Planting C	Growing and Cooking Seasonal Changes	
R.E.	Christianity Baptism/Church	Judaism Mitzvot/Tzedakah	Christianity Parables / gospel	Christianity Prayer / worship	Christianity Emmanuel / Holy Spirit	Judaism Tefillah/ blessings	
D&T/Art	Drawing and Painting (Frogs - Annette James)	Structures and mechanisms (Paper Crafting)	Sculpture (Model Beetles)	Printing (Patterns and Andy Warhol)	Cooking and Nutrition (Healthy Lunches)	Drawing and Painting (Portraits and Eric Carle)	
P.E.	Dance, Multi-Skills and Boot Camp	Mighty Movers (Running) Story Time Dance	Skip to the Beat Groovy Gymnastics	Brilliant Ball Skills Gymfit Circuits	Dance, Throwing/Catching and Cool Core (Strength)	Active Athletics Fitness Frenzy	
Music	Senses	Superheroes	Dinosaurs	Carnival of the Animals	Fantasy and Adventure	At the Seaside	
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dream and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me	
Computing	Technology Around Us	Digital Painting	Moving a Robot	Grouping Data	Digital Writing	Programming Animations	