

Warriors's Newsletter

Spring term 1 2026

Welcome back and a sparkling Happy New Year to all our wonderful Warrior Class families! The children have returned with fantastic energy, big smiles, and plenty of stories to share — it has been a joy to see the classroom buzzing again!

This term promises to be a brilliant one. We have lots of exciting learning planned, new challenges to tackle, and plenty of opportunities for creativity, curiosity, and fun.

Thank you for your continued support — here's to another term filled with growth, confidence, and sparkle! 💎 ✨

Louise, Emily and Aneta

HMS Warrior was so tough, it had 4.5-inch iron armour and teak wood. It never actually fired its guns in a battle.

Humanities

We will be studying space by naming the planets, learning how rockets work, and discovering famous astronauts.

We will also be celebrating Chinese New Year and exploring its various traditions, while learning about our responsibilities and the importance of environmental awareness.

Fun fact: The Chinese New Year is a celebration that lasts for 15 days, ending with the Lantern Festival, and each year is named after an animal from the Chinese zodiac.

Science

We are studying animals and learning about the many different types of animals. We are also exploring what they eat and how their diets help them survive.

Dates for Your Diary

Culture Day – Asia

 23rd January

More information to follow – get ready for a day full of fun, learning, and Asian-themed activities!



This term, children will be developing their skills in **writing, editing, and publishing** across different text types.

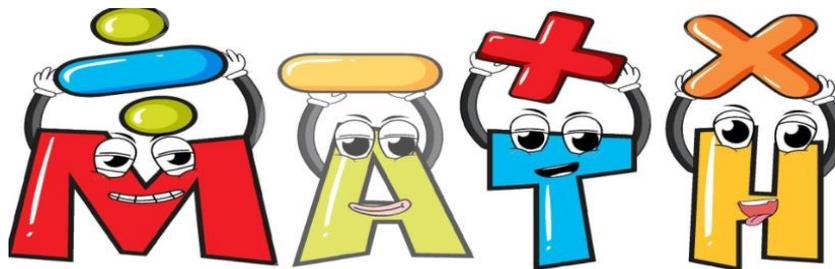
We will:

- ◆ **Plan and organise ideas** for writing, including descriptions and stories
- ◆ **Use accurate punctuation, and spelling** to improve clarity
- ◆ **Develop vocabulary** and present their work confidently
- ◆ **Read and reflect** on a variety of different texts.

In Warrior class **AAD (Ask, Accept and Develop)** is an approach we use in the classroom to support children's learning and confidence by encouraging them to ask for help, accepting all forms of communication, and developing their skills through positive, supportive interactions.

Maths

This term, we will be deepening their understanding of **addition, subtraction and place value**.



We will:

- ◆ **Add and subtract numbers** using written methods
- ◆ **Use grouping and partitioning** to help our knowledge

Children will also practise **explaining their thinking, choosing efficient strategies, and using maths in real-life situations**. The focus is on building confidence, fluency, and problem-solving skills.

