Coots Parent Plan – Wonders of the World

Home learning:

Please continue to read with your child at home, and share their progress in the contact book. Books you might like to enjoy this term include *We're going on a Bear Hunt*, and *The Smartest Giant*. Please tuck any letters, or homework activities you are returning to school into the red communication book, so we don't miss them in book bags. Thank you for your ongoing interest and support. Mrs Sims.

Coots geographers will find out about amazing buildings. We hope to visit some buildings which have lots of glass. We are planning a very exciting journey – more details to follow!

As musicians we will listen to Karl Jenkins Palladio, music inspired by architecture.

As historians, we will find out about homes now and then.

How is my home different from homes 100 years ago? How do I know whether a building is old or new?





As scientists we will near the Three Little Pigs story, and explore the best materials to make a safe, warm home. We will think about how we are all wonderful, and how we have changed since we were babies. We will look at animal habitats and life-cycles.

Coots authors will focus on reading and writing using the Phonics sounds we know, as well as learning ch, sh, th and the other phase three sounds from Letters and Sounds.

We continue working on the correct pencil grip, and forming the letter shapes, using the cursive style.



Coots artists will design our own dream home, having looked at some new and old buildings in the locality. We will draw some places we see as we go out and about.



Coots technologists will Use Ipads to complete Doodle Maths, and ict games for other counting and reading activities. We will learn all about how the postal system works, and we will send a real postcard.

In RE, Coots are beginning to under-stand that some families may have different

beliefs. What is a Good Samaritan? Why is Easter significant for Christians? What do eggs mean at Easter?



Coots athletes will

learn balance, control, gymnastics and dance.



This term our whole school core values, which underpin all our learning, are trust and perseverance.