





The Swallowtail Federation of Church Schools
With friendship, trust and kindness we fly!



('Love your neighbour as yourself,' Mark 12:31)

<p>Catfield Primary school</p> 	<p>Panthers Class</p> 
<p><u>Welcome to Spring Term 2026</u></p> <p>Happy new year ! Welcome back to Panthers Class! I hope you have all had a wonderful Christmas break. We have many exciting trips and events planned for the new year!</p>	

<p>Our Curriculum Spring 2026</p>	
<p>CUSP Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All aboard the Windrush The Island Skellig 	<p><u>Our teachers</u> Mrs Smithson will be our teacher every day, supported by Miss Coles. Mrs Pell will teach Spanish and Forest schools.</p>
<p>CUSP Writing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Extended third person narrative Explanatory texts Autobiography Lead piece: Extended third person narrative (adventure stories) 	<p><u>Reading and home learning</u> We ask that all children read at least 3 times at home in a week and spend at least 15 minutes per week on TTRockstars. In addition, comprehension and/or maths homework will be sent home on a weekly basis.</p>
<p>White Rose Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fractions, decimals and percentages Ratio Algebra Shape 	<p><u>Spelling</u> Spellings will be sent home every week and will be tested every Wednesday.</p>
<p>CUSP Science</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Animals including humans (+ water transport) Light 	<p><u>What we need in school every day</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Named book bag with reading book and reading record. <u>It is essential that these are in school every day.</u> Named water bottle containing water only please. Trainers to change in to at playtime Wellies to go on the field at playtimes.
<p>CUSP Art and Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Creative Response Printmaking and textiles 	<p><u>Physical Education and Forest school</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> P.E will be on a Monday and a Friday. Children will need to bring a full named P.E kit and trainers. Forest school will be every other Tuesday afternoon. An email reminder will be sent out every week by Mrs Pell.
<p>Computing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Programming A- Variables in games Data and Information- Introduction to spreadsheets 	
<p>CUSP Design and Technology</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Food and Nutrition Structures 	
<p>CUSP Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Human and Physical Geography: Economic, settlement and trade links UK, Europe and N America comparison study 	<p><u>What to do if you have any concerns</u> I will be on the playground every morning for a quick chat or if you require a longer appointment, I can be contacted at any time on esmithson2crp@nsix.org.uk</p>
<p>CUSP History</p>	

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Windrush generation	
Music <u>Instrument</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Listening to High- Quality music; Theory, History• Djembe <u>Charanga Unit</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Make You Feel My Love (love ballads)</i>• <i>Fresh Prince of Bel Air (hip hop)</i>	
PE <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dance• Gymnastics• Volleyball	
PSHE/RSHE <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Living in the Wider World: Archbishop Young Leaders Award	
RE Human social sciences How and why does religion bring peace and conflict?	