

Maths

We will be starting off this year by looking at number and place value. We will use practical and explorative ways to learn about the value of digits in two-digit numbers and beyond. We will also compare and order numbers and begin to count in steps of 2s, 5s and 10s.

We will then move on to look at addition and subtraction. We will use practical ways to explore addition and subtraction, whilst also developing our written and mental methods.

English

In our phonics session, we will develop our sound recognition. We will use the sounds that we have learnt to both read and write words. We will read books that are consistent with our growing phonic knowledge.

In our English sessions, we will explore both fiction and non-fiction texts. We will use these texts as a basis to develop our reading comprehension skills. We will also work to develop our word and sentence writing.

In class we will also develop our skills as communicators, working on both our speaking and listening skills.

Science

In Science this half term, our topic will be 'The Earth and the Seasons'. We will observe how the weather changes over the four seasons and investigate why this happens. We will also learn about how day length varies and what causes day and night.

Other Curriculum Areas

PE

In PE this half-term, we will be focusing on gymnastics. We will explore different types of rolling. We will develop flexibility and control with movements. We will learn different ways that we can link these movements together to form sequences.

Computing

In computing, we will be developing our skills in using web-based apps. This will include how to use the internet safely to perform tasks and find information.

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Other Curriculum Areas

Art and Design Technology

Our art topic is 'portraits'. We will use drawing, painting and a variety of other mediums to express our ideas. We will look at what a portrait is and have a go at creating our own. We will also learn about some artists that are famous for creating portraits.

Humanities

Our topic for humanities this half term is 'our school and our local area'. We will look at different types of maps and learn how to read map keys. We will explore the human and physical features of our local areas. We will also look at the difference between villages, towns and cities

Personal, social and emotional development

This half term, we will be focusing on self-awareness in our personal development sessions. We will talk about what makes us unique and the things we are good at. We will also explore kind and unkind behaviours and how we can all work together.

Our provision in class will also support pupils in developing their own individual social and emotional targets.

We will also develop independence and life skills through our food technology sessions. Our food tech sessions this half-term will focus on preparing 'super snacks' to enjoy. We will explore safe use of kitchen appliance and go over hygiene when cooking.