

## ENGLISH

In English we are learning the skills for story writing, poetry and non-fiction, concentrating on developing the use of a range of grammar and vocabulary.

As well as different sentence types and punctuation, the children will be looking at writing both stories and re-telling events that have happened.

Our writing focus for this half term is based on children's stories and traditional tales such as Little Red Riding Hood and more informational texts linking to science.

Reading is taught through RWI and the AR scheme.

## PSHE

In PSHE we will be looking at the human life cycle and how humans grow from babies to adults.

Later this half term we will be learning about our own bodies as well as positive and negative touch, a letter will be sent home about this in due course.



## DT

In DT, the children will be learning about planning, designing and making food (wraps) based on a target audience and thinking about healthy choices linking to the science where we are learning about food safety and hygiene and well as the importance of a varied diet.

## MATHS

In maths, we will be continuing to focus on the 4 operations and developing a range of strategies to answer these types of questions accurately. We will also be looking at time to nearest quarter of an hour and using lots of opportunities through the day to read the time within class.

As well as this we will be recapping the properties of 3D shapes and the value of coins and the coins needed to make different totals and to give change.

Throughout all our lessons, we will be using SMART maths approaches and will be continuing to develop our reasoning and problem-solving skills.

## RE

In RE this half term we will be learning about different religions and some of their teachings. We will be looking at places of worship as well as religious symbols.

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## COMPUTING

Within computing, we will be going on bug hunts where we will be gathering and collecting data. We will use this data to create spreadsheets and charts.

## History

In history this half term, we will be learning about local heroes and people of importance from within the local area historically.

We will also be learning about how a person's contributions can lead to them being remembered throughout history.

## MUSIC



Within music, we will be revisiting some of the songs we have learnt this year. We will be singing, playing instruments and reflecting on our learning in music.

## SCIENCE

In science this term we are looking at healthy eating, food hygiene and human needs.

The children will be learning about the food groups and how each of these affect the body. They will be learning what a balanced diet means and the foods we should be eating to be healthy. The children will also learn about how food should be prepared safely (linking to DT).

## INFORMATION

PE is on Thursday. Please arrive at school wearing your PE kit with your earrings already removed. Homework is set on a Friday to be returned by Thursday along with the reading book. Please do not hesitate to speak to one of us at the classroom door or call the school office if there is an issue.