



## Literacy

We will be learning to recognise and pronounce set 1 and 2 sounds. We will be using our blending knowledge to read words and simple sentences more fluently.

We will be focusing on:

- Reading with increasing understanding, this will include thinking about what type of text we are reading including fiction and non-fiction.
- Forming lowercase and capital letters.
- Continuing to learn common exception words including 'he, she, to, the, I, love, be, you'.
- Recognising and reading sounds we have been learning in phonics.

Please support your child by reading their reading book with them at home.  
Ask lots of questions about what they're reading to help their comprehension skills.

## PSHE

### Summer 1 – Relationships

We will be thinking about what makes a good friend, how we can help others and be part of a group.

### Summer 2 – Changing Me

We will learn that everyone is unique and will be thinking about preparing ourselves for year 1.

## Understanding the World

We will have lots of fun learning about the world around us. We will be following and drawing maps as well as naming and exploring dinosaurs from the past. We will be looking at different environments including land, oceans and space. We will be taking part in experiments, changing states, making fizzing volcanoes, ice-lollies and exploring what items float and sink. We will also be looking at the weather in different countries.



**Miss Trainer**  
Teacher RLT



**Mrs Dean**  
TA RLT



**Mrs Davis**  
Teacher RGD



**Miss Turner**  
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## Our topics this term are:

**Pirates, Oceans, Dinosaurs, Space, Summer, Holidays, Transport and Postcards.**

## Our books this term are:



## Information

**Muddy Mondays** - We have forest school every Monday afternoon. Please send your child to school in their own clothes on this day that you don't mind getting dirty. **Please keep a pair of wellies and spare clothes in your child's locker at all times.**

**PE day Friday** - Please ensure children are in their school PE kit and jewellery is removed. NO EARRINGS PLEASE!

**Reading books** - Please ensure your child brings their book bag **everyday** to school as we hear them read regularly and practise reading with them at home.

## Maths

In maths this term we will be learning to:

- Complete addition maths stories
- Record number bonds to 10
- Complete subtraction maths stories
- Compare quantities using vocabulary greater than, less than and same
- Double up to 5 objects
- Share up to 20 objects
- Recognise odd and even numbers to 10
- Compare weights using balancing scales (heavy, light, heavier, lighter, heaviest, lightest)
- Compare capacity using vocabulary full, empty, half full, more or less

## Expressive Art and Design

This term we will be:

- Using instruments to make music and dance along to themed songs.
- Drawing with increasing detail, including pirate emotions, dinosaur features, sea creatures and textures in space, including planets and moon craters.
- Explore colour mixing and engage in collaborative art pieces with our friends.

## PSED

We will be continuing to develop our listening skills, through circle times and games. We will follow instructions and try to become more independent. We will be thinking about our emotions and how we can deal with them appropriately. Children will enjoy sharing their ideas together through speaking, listening, singing and dance.