



## ENGLISH

Get ready for an exciting Spring 1!

In Reading, your child will master new sounds and achieve fluency through the RWI scheme. In Writing, we'll explore winter themes and shape poems, sparking creativity, while also beginning to use adjectives to enhance descriptions.

In addition, we'll dive into animal-themed writing, fostering your child's creativity through captivating stories. Your involvement is key, so stay tuned for updates and activities!

Spring 2 will continue our vibrant English journey, blending reading joy with the wonders of the animal world.

## History

This Spring, our young historians will journey through time to discover the world's greatest explorers. From Marco Polo to Christopher Columbus, they'll delve into maps, participate in hands-on activities, and uncover the incredible stories of these bold adventurers.

## Geography

Embark on an exciting journey this term as our young explorers delve into 'People and Their Communities' in geography. Through engaging activities, they'll explore diverse cultures, local landmarks, and the significance of community. Witness their curiosity and understanding of the world grow this spring!

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## Science

This term, children will explore spring's wonders, observing weather changes, seasonal patterns, and nature's transformations through activities like weather charts, plant experiments, and outdoor observations. They'll also delve into environmental responsibility, learning about recycling, water conservation, and energy-saving through hands-on projects. These activities aim to inspire curiosity, awareness, and a lifelong commitment to protecting our planet.

## Computing

In Spring 1, our young artists will explore digital creativity, using tools to craft pixel art and graphic designs. In Spring 2, budding publishers will create stories and magazines, learning layout and design with software.

## Music

This term, in music lessons, the children will engage in rhythmic activities and learn about different genres, fostering creativity and musical appreciation.

## Art

Prepare for an explosion of creativity! Your young artists will delve into the fascinating world of colour, inspired by the legendary Kandinsky. Through lively and engaging activities, they'll paint, mix, and experiment, uncovering the enchanting power of hues. Watch as your child embarks on a vibrant journey, sparking their imagination and nurturing their artistic flair.

## RE

This Spring in RE, children will explore thought-provoking questions and stories from Christianity, Islam, and Sikhism. Through engaging activities, they'll foster curiosity, understanding, and respect for diverse beliefs and traditions.

## PSHE

Children will embark on a journey of self-discovery, exploring aspirations, setting goals, and dreaming big through fun activities and discussions. They'll also learn about healthy living, covering topics like nutrition, exercise, mental well-being, and hygiene, while gaining practical skills for a balanced life.

## DT

Exciting adventures await in Spring 2! Our young explorers will dive into the fascinating world of 'Moving Mini Beasts.' Through interactive, hands-on activities, they'll design and build mini-beast models that come to life with movement. Get ready for a buzzing, crawling, and fluttering journey as we blend creativity and technology in a fun-filled learning experience!

## PE

In PE, the children will be developing their skills and begin to apply them to game based scenarios.

## MATHS

Welcome to Spring term in Maths!  
This term, our young learners will explore numbers up to 50, mastering addition and subtraction through fun activities. They'll also discover shapes and volumes, sparking creativity and critical thinking. We'll focus on vertical addition, building confidence in maths, and begin exploring the hundreds to lay the foundation for future concepts.  
With engaging lessons and hands-on experiences, we aim to make learning an exciting adventure. Thank you for your support as we nurture your child's curiosity and love for numbers!