

Art & Design, Design and Technology and Music

This term we will be exploring food art. We will look at artists who used food within their art such as Giuseppe Arcimboldo and will be using food to create our own masterpieces, In D&T we will be designing and making cars using wood. In Music we will look at musical toys and ocarinas. We will also listen to a range of music thinking about how it is composed and looking at creating our own musical score.

Maths

This term we will continue to focus on place value, including comparing and ordering numbers. We will be counting in multiples of twos, fives and tens and will be working out related division facts. We will be working out fractions of shapes and amounts. Other areas of focus will be time, shape, space and measure. Problem solving and investigations will be on-going.

Geography

In Geography we will be exploring maps and understanding how to use them and how to create them. We will be learning the compass points (North, South, East and West) and using maps and atlases to explore countries, continents and oceans.

History We will find out about various explorers from the past and the adventures they faced on land, sea and space. We will think about comparing similarities and differences between these significant people.

PE

In gymnastics we will be experimenting with different ways to create high and low shapes. We will also be thinking about flight and landing safely.

Our games lessons will include striking, aiming and passing, with a focus on hockey skills.



PSHE & RE

In PSHE we will be thinking about our successes and how we can be successful in the future. We will be setting ourselves goals and discussing how we can achieve them. Also this term, we will focus on keeping our minds and bodies healthy by making good choices. We will think about keeping fit and healthy as well as eating a balanced diet.

In RE, we will be learning about how Christians believe Jesus was a good friend and understanding the meaning behind being a good friend. During Easter, we will focus on Palm Sunday and the significance of these events from a Christian perspective.



Key stage 1

Spring 2019



ICT

Information around us.

In ICT we will be investigating the different ways in which information can be presented through written words, images and sounds.



English

Our key areas of continued focus in writing are sentence structure, punctuation, spelling and developing vocabulary. Phonics lessons will take place daily and the children's phonological knowledge will be extended. In fiction we will be enjoying stories set in familiar settings, writing shape poems and building our poetry vocabulary through riddles. In non-fiction we will explore recount.

Science

We will be focusing on seasonal change, identifying the four seasons and discussing the simple changes associated with each one e.g. in Autumn the leaves change colour and it gets colder. We will be looking at how day length varies and thinking about the changes in weather. Also this term we will be learning about forces. Children will be using the cars they make in D&T to explore different forces and how they make objects move including push, pull and twist. We will be learning key skills such as fair testing, making predictions, recording findings in a range of ways and making conclusions.