Art & Design, Design and Technology and Music

This term we will be going outside and looking at patterns in nature. We will look at natural sculptures created by artists like Andy Goldsworthy and then create natural materials to create our own.

In D&T the children will be learning all about where our food comes from and what the main sources of food are. They will then be getting creative in the kitchen and making their own veggie muffins and quiche. Please can you update the office of any food related allergies your child may have.

In Music the children will learn to play the Ocarina. They will learn to play and control the pitch and range of notes that the Ocarina makes.

Maths

In maths we will be looking at place value, addition and subtraction to 100. The children will learn about different measures such as length, height, mass and volume.

The year 2 children will continue to learn their multiplications and should continue to practice on TT Rockstars.

Geography

The children will continue their knowledge of where our food comes from, we will look closely at how food is grown, picked and prepared to be sold. The children will identify where in the world some food comes from and why we have to import these foods.

History

In History the children will be looking at holidays and how they have changed over time. They will compare and discuss how beach holidays have changed during their passing of time from transport, clothing, activities and souvenirs bought.

Computing

In computing the children will learn how to program and control digital robots, (beebots) they will practice giving clear and precise instructions. They will also plan a clear route for their robot to take to get to a desired location. The children will also learn about digital data, they will begin to read and create their own computer based pictograms.



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In outdoor PE the children will be focusing on ball skills, learning how to control, dribble and pass the ball with their feet. Please ensure your child has warm clothing for outdoor PE.

In Dance the children will be continuing to move to a rhythm, creating clear movement sequences in time with the music.

PSHE

In PSHE we will be learning about how to be an independent and confident learner, being able to set and work towards goals which we have set for ourselves. We will also think about considering how others feel and the effect our actions can have on them.

RE

In RE we will be learning about Judaism the children where we will focus on the festival of Passover, we will be learning about the importance of the Seder meal and how Jewish people follow the rules set to them by their God.

We will also look at the Easter story and the meaning that it has for Christians around the world.

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 English lessons we will be enjoying stories set in familiar settings and other cultures, writing and performing poems, persuasion and debate and narrative texts. Please continue to help your child learn their high frequency words as given on google classroom.

Science

In Science our key focus will be plants, the children will identify plants and label the key parts knowing their functions. They will observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants, during this we will look at the ideal conditions needed for a plant to thrive and stay healthy. Throughout the unit the children will compare a range of different seeds, bulbs and plants. The children will create their own experiment, predict what they think will happen, watch the plants grow and evaluate what they have learnt from their experiment.