



English

During this term, we will be writing to entertain and inform through a range of texts. We will be developing descriptive language and using features of information texts as well as using poetic language effectively. Spelling lessons will take place each week and the children will enjoy reading our class book as well as sharing texts in Guided Reading. Please continue to support your children by encouraging them to read frequently.



Maths



In maths lessons, the children will continue multiplication and division, how to exchange and partition numbers. We will be looking at length and perimeter by adding and subtracting different measurements and developing their knowledge of fractions. We will continue to develop their addition, and subtraction skills and apply their knowledge to a variety of problems. The children will also continue daily work on their times tables and arithmetic skills through Early Bird Maths.



Science



Skeletons

In Term 3, we will learn about the human body, studying how the human skeleton works. We will also be learning about what nutrition our bodies need to be healthy.

Light and Shadows.

In term 4, we will be learning all about different sources of light. We will be learning about what shadows are and how they change throughout the day.

Geography



Earthquakes and Volcanoes: Why do people live near volcanoes?

In geography, we will be explaining why volcanoes happen and where they occur and recognise the positive and negative effects of living near one. Moving onto studying what earthquakes are and why they occur.

Spring

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History



Romans

In history, we will learn about the Romans by investigating artefacts. We will learn how the Romans have influenced the world's culture and made a huge impact on the development of technology and science.

Computing



The children will recap E safety before Exploring digital media. They will work on the iPads to create a movie trailer.

PE



Our lessons will focus on coordination and using a range of gym equipment. During term 3 they will also be having Forest School on Fridays.

DT

The children will be developing their sewing skills by making a stuffed toy animal



Music



The children will listen to, appraise and learn a range of songs. They will accompany the music using glockenspiels.

PSHE



Our focus during this term will be *Dreams and Goals* where children think about their own lives and goals. We will also get a better understanding of the British Values and how important they are.

RE



During the term we will be exploring the big questions:

- 1) How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?
- 2) How do festivals and family life show what matters to Jewish people.

Art



The children will be working with shape and colour. We will do this by exploring historical artwork and creating a collage, studying composition, shapes and colours.