

In Maths, we will be working on position, direction and movement, including whole, half, quarter and three-quarter turns. We will continue to work on addition and subtraction and the children will work on problem solving activities. The children will be working on halving and quartering numbers. We will be working on using arrays in multiplication and solving problems involving multiplication and division. Please keep working on writing numbers to 20 in words. We will also be working on telling the time at o'clock and half past.

In Art we are working on our painting skills. We will be looking at the work of different artists and discussing famous pictures. Some of the artists we are looking at are DAVID HOCKNEY and DA VINCI. Children will also draw various landmarks linked to our geography topic of A Kingdom United.

In Science we are finding out about plants and trees. WE will be exploring our local surroundings and recording what is growing within it. We will use language such as evergreen and deciduous. We will also look at the structure of plants and trees.

In PE over the summer term, we will be developing our skills in ball sports such as tennis and cricket. We will also be trying athletics and orienteering. Hopefully we will have some good weather so that we can get outside for our lessons. So please send trainers or pumps in each week.

In English we are learning about poetry, where we will be looking at various types of poems and writing our own poems. We will make sure we are forming our letters (both lower case and capital) correctly. We will continue the strong focus on phonics and making sure we are applying our learnt phonemes in to our writing.

In computing we will continue to copy and paste images into word documents and then adding text that we are editing for effect. We will be using the internet to find out information and ensuring we follow the school safety rules. We will continue our basic programming and use a software programme. We will use language like forward, backward, left and right, debug and logarithms.

In RE we are learning about places of worship - who goes there and why, what happens there and who looks after it. We will now begin to look at how people from other faiths worship with a particular focus on the Muslim faith.

In Music we are looking at the different types of instruments and understanding why they belong in different groups. We will be looking at how to change the sounds of instruments and we will be working on group compositions. We will work on using symbols to represent different sounds and work on making a simple musical score for our creative compositions.

In PSHE we will be thinking about Relationships and how we all get along and how we can help other people.

In Geography we are learning about the United Kingdom, We are naming each country and its capital city. We will be looking at various landmarks, both natural and manmade and main rivers running through each country. We will then work in groups making information posters about each country within the United Kingdom.

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