

English

This half term we are studying the texts, Winter's Child by Angela McAllister and The Story of Tutankhamun by Patricia Cleveland Peck. Through these texts, we will be learning how to effectively write for a range of audience and purpose.

Science

Light – children will explore where light comes from and what reflection and refraction is and how we use them. Children will also study how we see light and how we see different colours. They will also explore lots of light sources.

R.E

Buddhism – Children will obtain knowledge of what it means to belong to the Buddhist faith, including origins, customs, family life and celebrations.

Reading

Applying all reading skills to a variety of contexts, including fiction, non-fiction, poetry and media.

PSHE

Celebrating Difference – children will explore how, sometimes, we make assumptions based on what people look like and what influences them to make assumptions based on how people look. They will also explore how to spot bullying and what to do if they see this happening.

Music

Stop! – Children will study this famous pop song before learning to sing and perform it to an audience.



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Curriculum Map Spring 1

P.E

Throwing and Catching – children will develop a range of skills in striking and fielding and learn how to throw and catch accurately.

Cool Core – children will improve core strength and agility, and understand why they are important.

Computing

Online Safety – children will understand how to protect themselves from online identity theft and to identify the risks and benefits of installing software including apps

Hardware Investigation – children will explore the different parts that make up a desktop computer.

Maths

Multiplication and Division – Multiply multiples of 10 leading to the multiplication of two – digit numbers using short multiplication. Learn more about division and divide two-digit numbers using 2 methods.

Graphs – Learn how to interpret picture graphs and bar graphs.

French

I can – children will learn how to say *I am able to* and a range of verbs in French

Geography

Mountains and Rivers – children will learn the world's mountain ranges and what the key features are of a mountain. They will also study how different mountains are formed. In addition, children will learn where the Earth's water is and what the features of a river are and how they shape our land.

Design and Technology

Healthy and varied Diet – children will taste and investigate a range of fruits and vegetables. They will study the Eatwell guide, exploring food groups before designing, making and evaluating their own pasta dish.

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