

English

This half term your child will be learning to:

Spelling Strategies.

- Learn all tricky words linked to phonics or spelling weekly teaching, and the phonics words covered each week.

Grammar and Punctuation.

- Year 1 full stop, capital letter and question mark.
Year 2 a range of punctuation
- To be able to use long and short sentences in their writing
- To be able to use adjectives (Year 1) and expanded noun phrases (Year 2)

Writing

- To write an alternative ending to Little Red
- To write a setting description for an opener to Funny Bones

Reading

- To read a range of texts and use our phonic knowledge to segment and then blend a word with increasing fluency.
- To be able to use our reading foci in decoding, reading using prosody and reading for comprehension.

To read for pleasure and be able to name their favourite books and explain why.

Maths

This half term your child will be learning to:

Year 1

Place Value to 20

- Count and order from 0 to 20
- 1 more 1 less
- Partition into tens and ones
- Representing a number

Addition and Subtraction

- Introduce parts and whole
- Part whole model
- Write number sentences
- Fact Families
- Number bonds within 10
- Number bonds to 10

Year 2

Place Value to 100

- Count and order from 0 to 100
- 1 more 1 less
- Partition into tens and ones
- Representing a number

Addition and Subtraction

- Bonds to 10 and 100
- Fact families and related facts
- Add and subtract 1s
- 10 more 10 less
- Add and subtract 10s
- Add 3 1 digit numbers

Useful Dates and Information

We will share information in the Summer term about the Year 1 phonics test in June 25.

Parents/Grandparents will be invited in this half term to talk to the children about their own childhood's. Parents will be invited in to join the children for a family afternoon tea. Further dates to follow.

PE Days - Forest School Monday

PE and CJ's - Tuesday and Wednesday

Good Work Assembly - Wednesday 25th September 2024

How can you help your child at home?

Reading - Children are expected to read at home for 10 minutes everyday and we would really appreciate it if you could make sure your child's reading book is in school every day. Books will be changed when they have had their reading diary signed. Please ensure your child's reading diary is completed each time you hear them read.

Year 1 and 2 - The common exception words sheet given at Parent's evening - please keep at home and continue to practice reading and spelling them.

Encourage children to use maths skills in everyday life, counting, weighing and measuring, adding and subtracting.

Please start to discuss telling the time with your children. This will help both Year 1 and 2 with learning to tell the time.



<p style="text-align: center;">History</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tell and order some event from their own past • Sequence events in their life • Match objects to people of different ages Sort objects into old and new • Use language such as “old, new when I was younger a long time ago, a very long time ago, before I was born, when my parents/carers were young” • Recognise past and present between their own and others lives. • Know and recount experiences find out facts about grandparent’s lives 	<p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals including humans. • To know and understand the structure of the human body including skeleton • To name and label human body parts • To name and label the body parts associated with the 5 senses and understand what each sense does. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Computing</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn how to keep safe online • Identify technology in the classroom • Use the technology we have • Develop our mouse skills • Develop our keyboard skills • Use a computer keyboard • Use a computer safely 	<p style="text-align: center;">PE</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p>Striking and Fielding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop underarm throwing and catching • Develop overarm throwing • Develop hitting a ball • Develop collecting a ball • To learn how to get a batter out • To play games and understand how to score points <p>CJs - team building activities where skills about communication, team work, listening and various others are developed.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Phonics - Year 1</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p>We follow the Little Wandle Phonics programme .</p> <p>Spelling Year 2</p> <p>We follow the Little Wandle Bridge into Spelling programme for Year 2 for Autumn 1 this term.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PSHE</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p>Me and My Relationships</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why we have classroom rules • How are you listening? • Thinking about feelings • Our Feelings • Feelings and bodies • Good Friends 	<p style="text-align: center;">DT and Art</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><u>Art - Family Portraits</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Van Gough paintings • Describe the work of an artist • Thick and thin paint strokes • Create family portrait <p><u>DT - Making Buns for Family Picnic</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Following a recipe • Measuring ingredients • Gathering equipment needed • Baking 	<p style="text-align: center;">RE</p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p>Thanking God for Nature</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognise how people are thankful for the earth • Recognise religious places, objects, artefacts. • Describe some of the teachings in religion • Identify things that are important in our lives and how these can link to religious beliefs. • Show an understanding of morals