



Mathematics

This term in maths, children will be working on their problem solving skills in all of the areas of maths we have taught this year in preparation for the SAT's. They will be revising their arithmetic methods and consolidating their learning of areas such as geometry, fractions, algebra etc.

Post SAT's children will be working on a statistics unit.

English

Our T4W unit this term will be focusing on a Journey / Finding tale, using a suspense toolkit, which will link with our studies of protecting the environment.

Children will be building on their Year 6 SPaG skills, to demonstrate how these can have an effect on the reader, both in literature and wider curriculum writing.

Topic

This term in topic our unit is called 'Protecting the Environment' and is a topic that really enthuses the children about the world around them. We will cover issues such as sustainability, renewable energy sources, endangered wildlife and threats to our oceans.

Using geographical issues to review our understanding of countries, continents and seas around the world.

Computing and PE

During PE this term, the children will learn to develop their skills in rounder's and cricket. As always, Children will be taught PE inside and outside.

Children will develop their critical thinking skills around computing and platforms such as social media and online news. Children will be taught how to analyse digital texts and the validity of the sources of information.

Science

This science unit is based around light and we will learn about the properties of light and how we rely on light to see. Children will learn about how the eye works and investigate how to reflect and refract light.

Wow week

In WOW week, our art focuses on a digital media platform called Stop Go Animation. The children will learn how to be an animator and create their own digital animations based around our environmental theme.

Curriculum enrichment

We will be holding a Keep Me Healthy whole school afternoon during the first week of term where the children will design fitness videos to promote a healthy lifestyle.

Our Brainboost project this term will be about the Queens Jubilee as we lead up to our additional Bank Holiday at the end of the term.

RE and PSHE

RE – In RE we will have a Christianity focus and be learning about what Christians believe about God. We will consider the concept of the Holy Trinity, omnipotent forces and miracles.
PSHE – As we begin our Keep Me Healthy unit the children will learn about personal hygiene this term considering dental health, vaccines and we will also be holding our in depth puberty units at the end of this term.

How can you help at home?

Please encourage your children to:

- Read daily, for 20 mins (please read to your child, as well as hear them).
- Learn their spelling words.
- Practice their multiplication tables.
- Complete activities in their CGP books.
- Complete set IXL skills.