



### Maths

**This term, the children will be learning how to add and subtract using the column method.**

- Add and subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, including: a 2-digit number and ones.
- Solve problems with addition and subtraction: using concrete objects and pictorial representations, including those involving numbers, quantities and measures.
- children will progress to addition and subtraction involving two 2-digit numbers, again representing the steps within these calculations visually with different resources.
- Children will use the column method as a way to represent the mental calculation steps, but not see this as the only method for calculation.

### Geography

In Geography, the children will be learning all about their local environment - Mawsley, Northamptonshire and Great Britain. We will be exploring maps and creating our own maps.

### Curriculum enrichment

*Geography- visit some local landmarks/ museums such as:*

- **Wicksteed Park**
- **Boughton House**
- **Manor House museum in Kettering**

### English

In English, we will be continuing our work on using adjectives to describe and we will be learning to write a setting description linked to the seasons.

We will continue to practice using full stops and capital letters in our sentences. We will also be using coordinating conjunctions to join ideas in a sentence.

### Science

In science, we will be learning In science, we will be learning about materials. We will learn to identify, name and discuss their properties. We will be able to identify and discuss how materials are used for different purposes.

### RE and PSHE

In RE, we will be exploring the question - What gifts might Christians in my town have given Jesus if he had been born here rather than in Bethlehem?

In PSHE, we will be learning about keeping ourselves safe in different situations and exploring how to make safe choices.

### Computing and PE

In computing, we are going to be learning how to code using the Scratchjr app.

In PE, we will be learning how to jump and land safely, whilst maintaining balance throughout.

### Wow week

In Art in WOW week, we will be learning about the artist Andy Warhol. We will be exploring different printing techniques.

In our music lessons, we will be learning to sing and perform as a group, keeping in time to the music.

### How can you help at home?

Please encourage your children to:

- read daily,
- learn their spelling words,
- practice their 2, 3, 5 and 10 multiplication tables
- Practise telling the time to o'clock, half past, quarter to and quarter past the hour