

English

As readers and writers, we will be exploring a variety of different texts including those read throughout Reading Practise Sessions. Through each text we will be delving into many different writing skills, from instructions and letter writing to creative writing. We will be using many writing techniques building on our vocabulary and descriptive language. They will continue participating in phonics lessons this year will also see the learning of Phase 5 phonics which introduces alternatives and split vowel diagraphs. There will be an increased focus on the application of high frequency words and the continued use of spelling and reading using phonics taught via Little Wandle.

History & Geography

As Historians we will be looking at the history of toys. We will compare toys from the past to our favourite toys now. We will also be able to identify changes between teddy bears today and those from 100 years ago.

As Geographers we will be looking at the UK, specifically focusing on the weather and improving our seasonal knowledge. We will also get to grips with compass points and be able to describe the weather.

Maths

As mathematicians we will be looking at a variety of skills, we will be focusing on place value and making sure we have good knowledge of our numbers to fifty in both numerical form and written form. We will also manipulate those numbers through addition and subtraction. We will also look closely at how we measure length, height, capacity and mass.

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Religious Education

As theologians we will be exploring Christianity. We will be thinking about what parables teach us and the importance and significance of prayer for Christians.

There will be plenty of opportunity to explore the faith in a variety of different ways including through song, food and writing.

Science

As scientists we will be focusing on animals and humans. We will first be looking at the human body, naming parts of the human body and develop our knowledge of our senses. We will then be looking at animals, classifying them and grouping.

P.E.

As athletes this term we will be starting off with gymnastics, where we will focus on balance and simple jumps. We will also be looking at target and team building games. During PE lessons it is vital your child is dressed appropriately for the lesson whether indoor or outdoor.

Art & Design and Technology

As artists we will explore colour mixing, seeing how our primary colours and mixed together to create new secondary colours.

As designers our focus will be mechanisms and the movement they output. We will design, make and evaluate a moving storybook from a range of templates.