

Half Term Curriculum Overview



Year 1 - Summer 1 - 2022

English

To look at a range of fiction, non-fiction texts related to our topic.

Writing:

- To use conjunctions to extend sentences (e.g. 'and,' 'but,' 'because.'
- To use full stops, capital letters and question marks in sentences.
- To use adjectives within sentences.

Reading:

- Apply phonic knowledge and skills to decode words.
- Read common exception words.
- To talk about and discuss books that they read.

Computing

- Online safety.
- We are collectors – sorting and categorising information.

Music

The children will be exploring and creating musical sound effects and short sequences of sounds to make a story using untuned percussion. They will learn about the electronic film sound composer Ben Burt who made all sounds for Wall-E and Delia Derbyshire who created the Dr Who theme tune.

Topic - Dinosaur Planet

Science:

- Why do we have two eyes?
- As part of our Dinosaur topic we will identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.
- Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores and their habitats.
- Compare and describe the structure of a variety of common animals.

History: In History, we will be learning about the life of Mary Anning, a famous Palaeontologist.

RE: This half term, we are learning about the Sikh festival of Naam Karan and discussing how a child is named when they are born.

PSHE: The focus will be on Health and well-being, keeping healthy and the importance of hygiene and medicines particularly looking after our teeth.

ART: Observational drawings and mark making.

Mathematics

Number:

- Count, read and write numbers from 1-100 in numerals and words.

Addition and Subtraction:

- Add and subtract one- digit and two- digit numbers.
- Solve missing number calculations.

Multiplication & Division

- Introduce concepts, working practically – counting in 2's, 5's & 10's. Making equal groups practically. Making doubles.
- Practical sharing & understanding halving.

Measurement, Length & Height:

- Compare heights & lengths. Measure using non-standard & standard units.

P.E.

- **Dance** – Exploring travelling, turning, jumping, gesture and shape.
- **Athletics** – travelling, jumping and throwing.

Homework

- **Reading:** To read for 10 minutes to an adult daily.
- **Phonics:** To play a phonics game.
- **Mathematics:** Maths passport.
- **Handwriting:** Practise letter formation.