

English

This term we will be recapping all of the phonics and learning Jolly Phonics. We will be reading a number of books and using them as a stimulus to do our own writing. Over the course of the half term we will be looking at fiction, non-fiction and poetry.

Maths

This half term in Maths we are thinking all about place value and addition and subtraction. We will be focusing on the true value of numbers, which is greater and smaller, and what happens when we add 10 to a number for example. Then we will move onto looking at addition and subtraction.

Science

Habitats: Which animals live in which habitats? What is a food chain? We will be exploring the area that we live in and what animals live here and why.

ICT – Communication

Here are some of the skills we will be looking at:

- Using a Mouse or Trackpad
- Switch on and Shutdown
- Applications and Windows
- Folders & Save
- Dragging

Geography

In Geography this term we will be exploring our local area and where we live. We will be looking at human, physical features and land marks. The children will look at another school and find ways to describe our school, and compare the two schools. We are going to be exploring a world map and finding the UK on it.



Year 1&2

Identity

Autumn 1

PE

We will be doing PE outside and inside. Over the half term we will be looking at movement and agility. Exploring how to move safely around others, playing lots of games to improve co-ordination and control. We will also be doing some gym work, using the mats and apparatus to move in different ways.

PSHE

Colour mapping – which colours do you associate with which moods? How can you describe how you feel?

RE

Diwali: We are going to be thinking about how other religions celebrate different occasions and thinking about good and evil.

Art

Sketching: This half term in Art we will be studying sketching, using different mediums to sketch with and finishing the half term by sketching our own self portrait.

Music

We will be following the 'Charanga' programme in music. The children will look at how to make music and copying a rhythm.

Visits/ Visitors

We will be going on a walk to explore our local area, and doing lots of work in the woods behind the school.