

<p><u>English (Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening)</u> A variety of English activities including reading, writing and discussion based tasks will help the children to explore focus texts.</p> <p>This term we are going to cover three different aspects of writing. We are going to start our term looking at instructions. The children will be looking at the features of instructions and writing their own instructions to make a sandwich. They will then get the opportunity to make their sandwich and have it recorded just like they are leading their own cookery show! The children will also be learning about traditional tales in different cultures through Talk for Writing. This is always something the children enjoy and they will get to write their own version of the tale. Finally, children will be looking at some poetry through our senses.</p> <p>A weekly "Spelling, Punctuation And Grammar" (SPAG) lesson will take place each Tuesday with Mrs Elks. This will concentrate on different sentence forms e.g. commands, statements and questions.</p>	<p><u>Maths</u> We will be continuing with our daily Maths lesson which will concentrate on using numbers to solve problems. This half term we will be working on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adding and taking away two/three numbers using different methods including the column method</li> <li>• Adding money, coins and notes</li> <li>• Working out change</li> <li>• Fractions of shapes e.g. <math>1/2</math>, <math>1/3</math>, <math>1/4</math>, <math>2/3</math>, <math>3/4</math></li> <li>• Counting in fractions e.g. <math>1/2</math>, <math>1</math>, <math>1\frac{1}{2}</math>, <math>2</math>, <math>2\frac{1}{2}</math>, <math>3</math>,</li> <li>• Fractions of numbers e.g. find <math>1/2</math> of 24, find <math>1/3</math> of 15</li> <li>• Symmetry</li> <li>• Time, digital and analogue</li> <li>• Capacity</li> </ul>	<p><u>Science</u> In our Science lessons children will be looking at different habitats across various countries and comparing these. They will also get to go on a habitat hunt on the school field to see what different creatures homes they can find.</p>
<p><u>History</u> Children will be walking in the shoes of Christopher Columbus in our History lessons. They will learn all about his quest and his discovery of America.</p>	<p><u>Spring term 3 &amp; 4 2018</u> <u>Year 2</u> <u>"Around the World"</u></p>	<p><u>PE</u> On Mondays the children will be working on their ball skills with a coach from Progressive Sports. The children will be working on their basic movements of throwing and catching, as well as participating in team games. On a Tuesday the children will be involved in dance and activities looking at dances around the world.</p>
<p><u>Design Technology</u> Children will be looking at different foods from around the world in our Design and Technology lessons. As a class we will then pick our favourite dish and cook it! Children will then get to take this home, yum yum!</p>	<p><u>Computing</u> This term children will learn about being photographers. They will take photos with the tablets and think about how to frame the photo and edit it. They will use a collage app to display their photos.</p>	<p><u>Music</u> We will continue to use the Charanga scheme of work. We hope to learn lots of new music skills.</p>
<p><u>RE</u> In Re we will be finishing our unit on "Why do Christians give gifts at Christmas?" thinking about the visit from the Wise men to baby Jesus. In Worship we will be thinking about differences, Winter, The Trinity, Compassion and Jesus' Jobs.</p>	<p><u>PSHE</u> Feelings and relationships - anger, fear, frustration, happiness, develop confidence, take responsibility, likes and dislikes.</p>	<p><u>Art</u> We will be discovering masterpieces from different countries in our Art lessons this term. The children will be creating their own versions of these masterpieces, which range from aboriginal art from Australia to Greek vases from Greece.</p>