#### Maths

This half term pupils will focus on numbers up to 100, learning how they are made up of tens and ones, how to write them, and how to put them in order. They will practise counting in 2s, 3s, 5s, and 10s, recalling number bonds to 10, 20, and 100, and spotting patterns in number sequences. The children will use strategies such as making 10, adding three small numbers, and working with numbers that cross a ten, as well as adding and subtracting tens and ones. Pupils will also take part in *Mastering Number*, four short weekly sessions developing fluency, confidence, and flexibility in working with numbers.

**PSHE** 

Pupils will explore key concepts about making healthy

choices about food and drinks and about how branding

can affect what foods people choose to buy. They will

learn about the importance of keeping active and some

of the challenges around this.

# th numbers.

This half term pupils will name and locate the world's seven continents and five oceans. The children will identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas. They will use world maps, atlases, and globes to locate the UK, its countries, and its counties.

Geography

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Baby Animals and Healthy Choices

Continents,

#### Science

This half term pupils will notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults. The children will find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival. They will also describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and good hygiene.

## Art

This half term pupils will focus on creating monochromatic landscapes. The children will explore colour mixing with secondary colours and experiment with adding white to a base colour to make tints and adding black to make shades. They will look at the work of Paul Klee and other artists who create monochromatic landscapes before using these as inspiration for their own artwork of London.

# Computing

This half term pupils will learn about information technology in school and beyond, in settings such as shops, hospitals, and libraries. The children will explore how information technology improves our world and how to use it responsibly, developing their understanding of key terms such as barcode, scanner, and scan.

# **English**

This half term, children will review and consolidate their sentence writing skills from Year 1 which includes using, with increased accuracy capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks, and include adjectives and co-ordinating conjunctions to add more detail to our sentences. The children will have daily phonics sessions in which we will consolidate the sounds and tricky words previously taught as well as continuing to follow the Little Wandle phonic scheme. Children will also take part in 2 small group reading sessions per week. Our text studies will be 'The Proudest Blue' and 'Wild'.

## R.E.

This half term pupils will explore what it means to be a Muslim and how their beliefs are reflected in the way they live. The children will learn about key Islamic practices, celebrations, and places of worship, developing their understanding of the Muslim faith and community life.

## P.E. / MPower

This half term pupils will develop their fundamental movement skills through a range of activities. The children will focus on agility, balance, and coordination, building control and accuracy in movement. They will practise travelling in different ways, changing direction, and working with others to complete challenges. Children will continue to have weekly Makaton/Dance sessions with Mrs Melling.

### Music

This half term pupils will develop singing skills, improving pitch accuracy and using dynamics such as loud and quiet. They will listen to music from different genres and traditions, compose in response to ideas, and record using notation. Pupils will explore pulse, rhythm, pitch, tempo, and beat groupings through games, movement, and performance.

History/D&T will not be a focus this half term.