

## English

The children will have daily phonics sessions following our new phonics scheme, Little Wandle. They will also take part in 3 small group reading sessions per week.

This half term we will be reading an array of high quality texts, such as 'Where the Wild Things Are' and 'Peace at Last.' During English lessons we will focus on clearly segmenting words to spell and using finger spaces to separate words.

## Science

Our first Science topic is 'Seasonal Changes.' This will focus on how summer changes into autumn, as well as identifying the weather and other features we notice.

## Geography

Our geography and science topics are closely linked this half term, as our topic will be Weather and Climate. We will be identifying weather patterns and hot and cold areas of the world.

## Maths

This half term we will focus on the composition of numbers from 20-100. This includes learning;

- Objects can be counted effectively by making groups of ten.
- Each number on the number line has a unique position.
- Each two digit number can be partitioned into tens parts and a one part.
- Tens and ones structure of two digit numbers can be used to support additive calculation.

## Computing

We will develop our understanding of technology and how it can help us. They will start to become familiar with the different components of a computer by developing their keyboard and mouse skills. Learners will also consider how to use technology responsibly and think about how we feel in different online scenarios with regard to e-safety.

## PE

On Monday we will have PE with Mr Dowson where we will focus on 'fundamentals.' This includes balance, changing direction, jumping, hopping and skipping.

On Friday we will focus on 'Team Building.'

## PSHE-Fun Times

We will learn about food that is associated with special times, in different cultures. As well as about active playground games from around the world and why they are important and about how to stay safe in the sun.

## DT

We will be creating a windmill structure to support our work about the weather and seasons.

## Art

We will be focusing on developing our sculpture skill, thinking carefully about our choices.

## RE

We will be investigating what is meant by a faith community.

## History

Terrific Transport is our first history topic. We will be learning about how transport has changed over time and focussing on George Stephenson as our first significant person.

## Music

We will be following our Charanga music program and thinking carefully about finding and following the beat/pulse of the music. As well as listening to music from the genre WESTERN CLASSICAL TRADITION AND FILM.

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