

English:

In English, we will be using the story Supertato by Sue Hendra to gain inspiration for our writing. We will be writing a story based on Supertato, writing character descriptions and looking at writing and following instructions. We will also be doing our daily phonics lessons, too.

Religious Education:

In RE, we will be studying Christianity with a focus on Jesus this half term.

Our overarching question this year will be about finding out where people can go for guidance about how to live their lives.

Maths:

In Maths this term, we will be following the White Rose scheme of learning, covering addition and subtraction and a unit on shape.

Any additional practice the children can do will be hugely beneficial.

PE:

Our PE days are Wednesdays and Fridays this half term.

Your child will need: Black shorts/skort; trainers and black pumps; a white PE top and a hoodie, school jumper or cardigan on PE days.

Our areas covered this term will be:

Dance

Fundamental Movement Skills—Kicking

Science:

In Science, we will be finding more out about humans! We will also be looking at seasonal changes all throughout the year.

Computing:

In computing over the term, we will be covering work on keeping safe online.

Homework:

Please practice basic counting with your child and make sure that they grow in confidence and fluency with their number bonds to 10 and 20.

Also, there will be some Diagnostic Maths questions set each week on the computer.

Please ensure that your child reads as close to daily as possible and that their reading journal is signed by an adult. Please use the diary for any questions or comments, too, or come and see us at the end of the day!

Uniform Reminders:

Shoulder length hair must be tied back.

No jewellery including earrings.

No nail varnish.

No shaved or patterned hairstyles or hair gel.

Sensible hair accessories – no big bows.

Wear your own clothes on your birthday!

Topic:

In this half term, we will be learning to dance, sing and play in our music lessons. We will be looking at valuing difference in our PSHE lessons. In art we will be looking at the use of spirals to create bright, vivid art work. We will also be continuing with some of the work that we have been doing on hot and cold places.

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Supertato!