

English:

In English, we will be continuing with drawing club for the first half term. This will give the children lots of opportunities to focus on building and writing lots of high quality sentences and learning lots of adventurous vocabulary, too. We will also be doing our daily phonics lessons.

Religious Education:

In RE, we will be studying Hinduism 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 place value, recognising the numbers and words, more and less and comparing and ordering numbers. Any additional practice the children can do will be hugely beneficial.

PE:

Our PE days are Mondays and Thursdays this half term.

Your child will need the following in their PE bag: Black shorts/skort or tracksuit bottoms; trainers and black pumps; a white PE top and a hoodie.

Our areas covered this term will be:

Fundamentals
Team Building

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Animals including Humans

Science:

In Science, we will be finding out about animals and learning how to categorise them. 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.

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 geography, they will be exploring hot and cold areas of the world in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles. In PSHE, we will be looking at safe and healthy relationships. In music lessons, we will be doing an exciting unit called the carnival of the animals. We will also be going on an exciting trip to Blackpool Zoo!