

English

This half term we are studying the texts, Beegu by Alexis Deacon and Iggy Peck, Architect by Andrea Beaty and David Roberts. Through these texts we will be exploring how to effectively write for a range of audience and purpose.

Science

Animals Including Humans - Children will know that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults. They will find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air). Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.

R.E

Christianity (Harvest) - children will learn all about what harvest is and why it is celebrated by Christians.

Phonics

Children have 20 minutes of phonics everyday followed by a 20 minute guided reading session where they apply their new phonetic knowledge directly to a Read, Write, Inc. text.

PSHE

Healthy Me - Children will learn about medicine and road safety and how to stay healthy and make healthier lifestyle choices.

Music

Christmas - children will explore a range of Christmas songs and learn the story behind them and why it is tradition to sing songs at Christmas time.



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P.E

Story Time Dance - children will learn to change directions during travelling moves and link travelling moves that change direction and level.

Computing

Maze Explorers - children will understand the functionality of the direction keys and understand how to create and debug a set of instructions (algorithm).

Pictograms - children will understand that data can be represented in picture format and how to use a pictogram to record the results of an experiment.

Maths

Children will learn that grouping and sharing are ways of dividing. They will divide by 2, 5 and 10 and identify links with multiplication. Children will then begin to measure length in centimetres and meters and be able to compare various lengths, answering problem solving questions. Children will understand that mass is measured in grams and kilograms and by using weighing scales.

History

Now and Then Toys - children will learn that toys have been around for thousands of years and explore some of the different types of toys from throughout that time. They will also investigate the materials the toys were made from and why. These will be compared to toys today.

Design and Technology

Wheels and Axels - Children will learn about the simple working characteristics of materials and components. They will also explore the movement of simple mechanisms, especially wheels and axles. The children will apply all these knowledge and skills into creating a purposeful product.

