



READING

In phonics we will be continuing to learn set 2 and 3 special friends.
Children will be listening to and discussing stories whilst learning new vocabulary - Ravi's Roar - Tom Percival, Owl Babies - Martin Waddell, DK First Space Encyclopaedia.



WRITING

We will practise using adjectives in our writing to describe characters, using capital letters and full stops, using finger spaces, composing and writing in full sentences, writing commands and statements, and using plurals.
Writing a simple story plan, and innovating a story. The children will be focusing their writing on the story 'Billy and the Beast'.



MATHS

We will be learning about the composition of the numbers 6-10. We will also be thinking about additive structures, using these for both addition and subtraction. In this topic children will learn about using part-whole models and bar models to support them in their addition and then looking at the relationship with subtraction. They will then move on to using addition and subtraction stories and using these to find missing parts.



SCIENCE

This term we will be thinking about 'animals including humans'. We will be learning to classify animals into five groups: mammals, fish, birds, reptiles and amphibians. We will be learning about the diets of these different animals. We will also be thinking about the parts of the human body and the five senses.



HISTORY

We will be learning about what an explorer is and why people explore new places. We will learn who Neil Armstrong was and why he is important. We will also learn who Matthew Henson was and his role in exploring the North Pole.



ART

Year 1 and 2 will be exploring the world through monoprint. We will use carbon paper to make monoprints, creating impressions and playful narratives.



PHYSICAL EDUCATION (PE)

In PE, year 1 and 2 will practice their ball skills and gymnastics this half term.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (RE)

In RE, year 1 and 2 will be learning about Islam. Who is a Muslim and how do they live?



MUSIC

In Music years 1 and 2 will be learning a British folk song - learning to sing in tune and in time. Then looking at different environments - the coast, the countryside, the city to create pieces of music.



COMPUTING

We will be learning to use a computer to make a list. We will use a basic range of tools on art software to design a rocket. We will then follow instructions to build a model rocket and evaluate and edit our rocket design.



PERSONAL, SOCIAL, HEALTH AND ECONOMIC EDUCATION (PSHE)

This half term year 1 and 2 will continue their work on Health and Wellbeing and then move onto Safety and the Changing Body.