

In **Art** we will explore the concept of the portrait and how the collage technique can be used to make a portrait. We will look at the Funny Faces and Fabulous Faces topic and how the collage technique can be used to make a portrait.

In **DT** we will begin the shade and shelter topic. We will learn about the purpose of shelters and their materials. . We will name and describe shelters and design and make shelter prototypes.

In **Computing** we will develop our understanding of grouping data. We will begin by using labels to put objects into groups, and labelling these groups.

In **Music** we will follow the Charanga scheme of work and we will begin to understand different musical concepts. We will enjoy learning new musical definitions and how to use a glockenspiel.

In **RE** we will develop our understanding of the importance and meaning of Harvest. We will also look at the story of creation and learn the meaning behind Christmas.

In **PE** we will develop our gymnastics skills and our ball skills.

Important Notices

PE will be on a **Monday**, please make sure your child is in their school PE kit. Book Bags will be given on a **Friday** and must be returned to school on a

Wednesday.

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English

In English, we will read a range of different stories including 'Leon and the Place Between'. We will learn how to use a range of different writing techniques such as adjectives and adverbs. We will also learn how to include grammar and punctuation to our writing!

Phonics

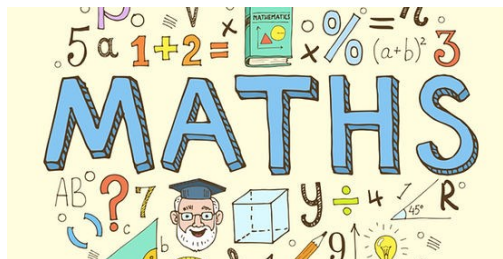
In Phonics we will continue teaching through the Little Wandle scheme. We will learn new and alternative sounds and write sentences including the sounds.

Maths

In Maths, we will start each morning by taking part in a daily maths meeting to consolidate our basic mathematical skills.

In Year 1, we will begin the year by looking at numbers to 10, addition and subtraction within 10, shape and patterns, and addition and subtraction within 20.

In Year 2, we will look at numbers within 100, add and subtract two digit numbers, word problems, measurement, graphs and multiplication and division.



Science

Our first topic in Science this year is Everyday Materials, we will investigate the properties of materials and begin to recognise that a material's properties define its use. We will then learn about Human senses. We will take part in a range of different experiments to develop our knowledge.

History

Our childhood project will include learning about everyday life and families today, including comparisons with childhood in the 1950s, using artefacts and a range of different sources.

