

Maths (Spring 1)

Children will be learning:

- Multiplication and division in a range of contexts
- Lengths and Perimeters
- Reasoning and Problem Solving
- Times Tables
- Rapid Recall facts
- Mental Maths skills

Maths (Spring 2)

Children will be learning:

- Fractions
- Decimals
- Reasoning and Problem Solving
- Times Tables
- Rapid Recall facts
- Mental Maths skills



Reading

Children should read every evening. Please record pages read in their orange books. Please ensure that your child reads aloud with expression and you continue to ask them questions to check their comprehension and understanding of vocabulary.

Important Dates - Spring 1

07th & 09th February:
Parents Evening

09th February at 3.15pm:
Break up for half term

10th February: INSET Day



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R.E.

Community - Local Church

In this topic children will be learning about life in the local Christian community and ministries in the parish.

Eucharist - Giving and Receiving

We will be learning about: giving and receiving every day and what living in "Communion" means and how we show living in "Communion".

Lent/Easter - Giving All

In this topic children will be learning about Lent and Holy Week as a time of giving in different ways and remembering the total giving of Jesus.

English

During our writing lessons we will be exploring:

- Non-Fiction
- Playscript
- Narrative
- Poetry
- Planning writing to understand structure, vocabulary and grammar.
- Compose and rehearse sentences orally building a rich and varied vocabulary and increasing the range of sentence structure.

During our Spelling and Grammar lessons we will be learning to use:

- Nouns and noun phrases (adjectives).
- Expanded noun phrases.
- Verbs and adverbs.
- Time and complex conjunctions
- Adverbial phrases.
- Fronted adverbials.
- Similes and Metaphors
- Onomatopoeia
- Alliteration
- Personification
- Emotive language
- Alliteration
- Apostrophes
- Conjunctions
- Features of persuasive brochure
- Dictionary and thesaurus skills

Science

- **States of Matter:** we will investigate the different states of solids, liquids and gases and find out about reversible and irreversible changes. We will also investigate heating and cooling, evaporation and condensation.
- **Sound:** we will investigate how sounds are made through vibration and look closely at the make-up of the ear. We will learn about patterns between pitch of sound and features of the object producing it. We will also investigate sounds over distances.

History

- Anglo-Saxons and Vikings: storytelling through myths and legends, art and culture.

Times Tables

Please continue to encourage your child to practise their times tables. They should play Times Tables Rockstars every evening for at least 10 minutes.



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Music

- Changes in pitch, tempo and dynamics
- Rock and Roll

Art + Design

- Research, make and design an Anglo Saxon shield
- Research, make and design Viking longship

Important Dates - Spring 2

03rd March - World Book Day
13th - 17th March - Science Week
13th - 15th March - Bikeability
21st March - World Poetry Day
31st March at 1.30 - End of term break

EPR and RSE

- Families and relationships
- Health and Wellbeing
- Citizenship
- Economic wellbeing
- Journey in Love programme for RSE.

P.E.

- Sending/Receiving - Hockey, Basketball, Tennis
- Dynamic Balance
- Co-ordination with equipment

Computing

- Creating media: Website design
- Editing the HTML and CSS of a web page

Homework

Monday
English

Wednesday
Maths

Thursday
Spelling test