

Maths

Children will be learning to:

- Count within 20 and then 50
- Use a number line to 20 then 50
- Identify 1 more/ 1 less from a given number
- Compare and order numbers.
- Represent and use number bonds to 20.
- Group in 10s and 1s.
- Doubles and near doubles.
- Adding and subtracting ones using number bonds
- Adding and subtracting within 20.
- Finding the difference.
- Related facts.

Reading

Children should read every evening. Please record pages read in their orange home/school contact book. Please ensure that your child reads aloud with expression, and you continue to ask them questions to check their comprehension and understanding of vocabulary. Guided reading continues in school.



Important Dates

Parent's Evening-

Monday 5th February and
Wednesday 7th February

Freshwater Theatre – Toy
Museum 30th January.

Homework and book changing

Monday: English homework
and sharing book

Wednesday: Maths

Thursday: Reading book and
sharing book

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R.E

Branch 3 – Galilee to Jerusalem

Exploring Jesus' early life and the beginning of his mission.

Based on Luke's Gospel we will look at the the Presentation of the Lord at the Temple, Finding Jesus in the Temple and his hidden life, Jesus announces his mission, the call of the disciples, The little children and the story of Zacchaeus.

Branch 4 – Desert to Garden

Children will be learning about the season of Lent and preparing for Easter. This will include looking at the scripture of Jesus entering Jerusalem, the last supper and Jesus' death.

English

Children will be exploring a range of:

Fiction texts

Sequencing stories

Re-telling stories

Non-Fiction

Instructions

Features of information texts

Captions

Poetry and Rhymes

Predictable patterns and rhyme

Poems about familiar places

Christmas

During our writing lessons we will be exploring:

Narrative stories

Fact files

Instructions

Children will learn to write using:

Finger spaces between words

Capital letters at the beginning of each sentence, place names and days of the week.

Full stops at the end of a sentence

And, but, because as connections to join sentences together.

Singular and plural words: dog, dogs

Grammatical Terms: Letter, word, sentence, capital letter, full stop.

Phonics

Read Write Inc. Phonics Programme.

Common exception words from Year 1

Handwriting

Continue to correctly form letters.

History

How have toys changed?

Discuss their favourite toy using language related to the past.

Ask questions about toys in the past.

Make comparisons about toys in the past and present.

Sequence artefacts and identify changes between teddy bears today and those from 100 years ago.

Geography

What is the weather like in the UK?

Name and locate the four countries on a map of the UK.

Identify the four seasons.

Identify the four compass directions and describe location features.

Observe and describe daily weather patterns.

Begin to locate the four capital cities of the UK.

Science

Sensitive bodies

To draw and label human body parts.

Identify the body parts associated with each sense.

Work scientifically to compare and group body parts

Record data and begin to recognise patterns in data to use to answer questions

Measure using non-standard units

Animals: Comparing animals

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Music

Children will explore:

Timbre and rhythmic patterns

Learning to play Glockenspiels.

Art + Design

Sculpture and 3D paper play

- Using scrolls of paper to make 3D sculptures
- Draw 3D shapes with strips of paper
- Create a tree of life sculpture that includes several different techniques for shaping paper.

Design and Technology

Textiles: Puppets

- Join fabrics together using pins, staples or glue.
- Design a puppet and use a template.
- Join their two puppets' faces together as one.
- Decorate a puppet to match their design.

Maths – Rapid Recall Facts

Fluency through the Mastering Number programme and Numbots.

PSHE and RSE

In PSHE children will be looking at Safety and the changing body and Citizenship as well as following the Journey in Love programme for RSE.

Computing

Rocket to the moon

Use a computer to make a list

- Explain the benefits of making a list on the computer
- Use a basic range of tools on graphics editing software to design a rocket
- Sequence and follow instructions to build their model rocket
- Input data about their rockets into a table or spreadsheet

Programming using Bee: Bots

P.E.

Real PE lessons are on Mondays.

Games lessons are on Wednesday.

Please wear PE kit to school on these days.

Real PE

Cognition – dynamic and static balance

Creative – coordination and counterbalance