



Year 1 Autumn Term 2021

English

This term, we will be focusing on writing to entertain. The children will be reading a class book titled 'Incredible You' and will learn about the basics of writing through this, looking at simple sentence structure, capital letters, full stops and adjectives. The children will then reflect and write about their incredible selves.

Maths

In maths, we will be looking at number and place value within 10. This will then progress onto addition within 10 where the children will develop their understanding of number bonds.

Relationships and Health Education

In RHE, we will be thinking about how to respect ourselves and others. This will include discussions around rules, kind and unkind behaviour with a view to understand how these behaviours make others feel. After the half term we will move onto thinking about families and friendships. We will reflect on who our trusted adults are and how they help us, especially when situations can make us feel uncomfortable, such as, unkind touch.

RE

We will be exploring the topic 'Belonging'; we will think about what it means to belong to a faith community and what other communities we are a part of.

Geography

As geographers, we will be exploring the seasons and UK weather patterns. We will look at the typical weathers we see here in the UK throughout the four seasons and collect local weather data.

PE

In PE, this half term, we are focussing on invasion games where the children will learn how a range of 'avoid' strategies such as: stopping, changing speed, direction and finding space. The children will also learn about ball control including passing, catching and how to stop a ball in different ways.

Science

As scientists we will be investigating animals, including humans. We will look at the parts of the human body and the five senses. We will then move onto learning about animals and how we can classify them into groups such as: mammals, birds, reptiles.

Design Technology

The children will be exploring 'sliders, levers and pivots' and will create transport inspired models that they will then be able to move across their personally designed backgrounds.

Modern Foreign Languages (MFL)

As linguists, the children will begin to learn Spanish including how to say basic phrases, days of the week and identify the Spanish flag.

Music

This term we will be listening and appraising music; finding a beat, discussing the style of music and identifying instruments or features they can hear.