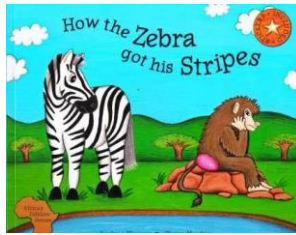


English

Within English this half term our learning will be based around the book 'How the Zebra got his stripes'.



We will also be looking at poetry and other folklore stories.

Within these genres we will be looking at adjectives, alliteration, rule of three, sentence openers, adverbs, expanded noun phrases and sentence types.

We will be focusing on comprehension and inference skills during Guided Reading and encouraging pupils to discuss what they have read.

We will be practicing spelling rules within spelling including common exception words, contractions, suffixes and prefixes.

PE

This term in P.E we will be multiskills and Active Play. **Please ensure children have full kit (white t-shirt, black shorts or trousers and trainers), hair tied back and no jewellery.**

P.E is on a Wednesday and Friday afternoon.

Computing

This half term we will be focusing on using computer programs confidently e.g. Google and Word. We will continue to practice coding via Purple Mash and we will also recap internet safety.

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RE

In R.E Beech class will be learning about Judaism through the Big Question: 'How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?'

What to do at home

- Please make sure you are reading with your child daily.
 - Continue to use 'Purple mash'.
 - Times tables: 2s, 5s, 10s
 - Practice handwriting
- <https://www.letterjoin.co.uk/log-in.html>
- <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>
 - Top marks has a variety of English and Maths games to practice skills.

Theme

This half term our theme our focus is 'Fire and Ice'.
Within this theme we will cover 2 questions:
Science - Could an animal survive in a different habitat to its parents?

Art - What is your favourite sculpture?

Next half term we will continue the topic to cover The Great Fire of London and The Titanic.



PHSCE

Our PHSCE focus is 'Diversity and Communities'. The pupils will learn about exploring identify, valuing differences, exploring their community and caring for the environment.

Maths

Within maths this half term we will be learning about:

Money

We will be learning about coins and notes, making amounts, comparing money and finding change.

Multiplication and Division

We will be learning about making equal groups, adding equal groups and making arrays.

We will be focusing on the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Statistics

We will be learning how to create and interpret tally charts, block diagrams and pictograms using our 1, 2, 5 and 10 times table knowledge.