

**Our topic this half term:** All Around the World!

**Our books this half term:** The hungry caterpillar, Poems from other cultures, Jack and Nancy, Meerkat Mail, Hotel Flamingo: Holiday Heatwave.

**Our enrichment this half term:** School trip to Windermere!

**Project on a page ideas:** Make a smoothie at home. Create your own poem. Create a digital collage of spring or summer seasons. Make a book of your goals for the coming year. Draw a map of your street and draw on the human and physical features.

English	In English this half term, we will be looking at poetry. We will be writing our own poems in the style of the story 'The hungry caterpillar' based around fruit. We will be focussing on spelling the days of the week, understanding syllables within words and spending time consolidating all of the previously taught grammatical features so they are secure for going into year 2.	(ABC)
Maths	In maths, we will focus on multiplication and division, where we will look at our 2, 5- and 10-times tables. In this, the children will learn how to recognise and make equal groups, make arrays, make doubles and share into equal groups.	$2+3=5$ 
Science	We will be learning more about seasonal changes this half term. We will be looking at the changes that happen between spring and summer and we will spend time planning and carrying out our own weather report. We will be looking at how the weather changes daily at this time of year and how this differs across the country.	
PSHE/RSE	In PSHE, we will complete the unit 'Dreams and Goals', in preparation for year 2. In this, we will explore how to set simple goals and how it feels to achieve a goal. We will think about some ways we can achieve goals and how we can work best to achieve these. We will look at how it feels to tackle a new challenge and how we can be resilient to overcome obstacles, through the book 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'. An important part of this topic is looking at how we should celebrate when we have achieved a goal.	
RE	In RE, we will be exploring the key question of, 'Are Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur important to Jewish children?'. In this unit, we are learning to empathise with Jewish children by understanding what Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur mean to them. The concept we will be exploring is forgiveness and how we can ask for forgiveness ourselves, but also show forgiveness to other people. We will learn about the traditions involved and how Yom Kippur is a time of reflection and why this is important.	
PE	Our PE unit this half term is athletics. We will be learning lots of different skills such as, hopping with rhythm, rolling a ball with accuracy, running and changing direction quickly, jumping as far as possible, landing safely and we will be checking our running posture.	
Geography	We will be looking at, 'The Wonders of East Asia' in geography. Our key question is, 'What is it like to live in Shanghai?'. In this unit, we will be recognising human and physical features around our local area. We will also be able to draw a sketch map, using aerial photographs to help us. We will learn the seven continents and then move on to focus on Shanghai. In this, we will look at the human and physical features of Shanghai and compare these to Hambleton.	
Computing	Our computing unit this half term is all about digital media. We will spend time learning how to select and import pictures into a collage to create a piece of digital art work.	
DT	In DT this half term we will be spending time learning about food and nutrition. We will learn all about fruits and vegetables, where they grow and how we can tell them apart. We will be learning how to use knives safely when cutting up various fruits and vegetables. We will be tasting different fruits, planning and designing our own smoothie based on the flavours we have enjoyed. Finally, we will be making and evaluating our own smoothie, looking briefly at food hygiene and how to safely use blenders, juicers and other kitchen utensils.	