SAPPHIRE CLASS

AUTUMN TERM 2
ME IN MY WORLD

This term our learning will be based on the topic 'Me in My World'. The children will be learning about where they live and how they fit into the wider world. We will begin by looking at their immediate surroundings and their local area before exploring their city and world. We will be looking at maps and drawing our own maps of our local area. We will be sketching landscapes of our city and immediate surroundings. We will be reading books such as Beegu, Lost and Found and Here we are: Notes for living on the Planet during story time.

STAR WORDS

local area maps city
country key physical
human town road
home world Earth

KEY MESSAGES

Books will be changed weekly so please bring the reading book into school each day.
PE days - Monday and Tuesdays.

HOME LEARNING

Reading books with your child.
Taking walks around the local area and discussing what you see.
Talking about where they have lived or their family have lived and discuss where in the world it is.
Counting to and from 20.
Practice learning the new sounds taught in phonics.



ENGLISH

We will be:
-writing simple sentences.
-using 'and' in a sentence.
-writing adjectives to describe.
-using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces.
–using the suffix 'ing'.
-rereading sentences to check they make sense.

WORLD LEARNING

We will be:
-looking at features of maps.
-drawing own simple maps
-use keys to identify features.
-identifying physical and human features in the local area.

P.E

We will be:
-learning fundamental movements.
-learning ball skills such as under arm and over arm throwing, catching, rolling and passing the ball.

COMPUTING

We will be:
-learning to log on to the computers.

MATHS

We will be:
-adding within 10.
-subtracting within 10.
-using concrete resources to add and subtract.
-writing fact families.
-naming 2D and 3D shapes

SCIENCE

We will be:
-identifying weather types.
-making wind socks to measure wind direction.
-measuring rainfall
-looking at weather patterns.

R.E

We will be:
-understanding the importance of the Bible to Christians.
-learning the Christmas Story.
-understanding the importance of Christmas to Christians.

PSHE

The Jigsaw theme this term is 'Celebrating Differences'. We will be understanding what similarities and differences are.

MUSIC

Continuing to learn songs and the strings of the violin.