

Maths

In Maths this half term we will be focussing on place value and counting to and from numbers to 20. We will explore numbers to 20, finding one more and one less, making the numbers with concrete materials, counting using pictorial resources and practise forming our numbers accurately.

We will also be looking at counting forwards and backwards in multiple of tens.

English

In English we will begin the year by introducing some exciting texts. We will look at 'Owl Babies', 'Julian is a Mermaid' and 'I Want my Hat Back'. With these text's we will be looking at applying the reading knowledge to writing narratives and re-telling a story and writing instructions. Children will continue to be grouped into their RWI colours and will bring home a 'learn to read' decodable book each week alongside a 'love to read' book that they can select from our school library.

Art

Within art we will be looking at lines and shape when drawing and explore the use of colour and how we can create light and dark. We will begin to draw from observation and will create self-portraits over this half term.

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Computing

In computing we will be looking at the technology around us and how we use technology. We will also learn about the parts of a computer, such as a keyboard and a mouse, and how to use them.

History/Geography

In Geography this half term our topic will be 'Lytchett Locals'. Within our topic we will be looking at the key features of a map and will use our knowledge of this combined with our understanding of our local area to create our own maps.

Music

The children will be looking at 'introducing beat' this half term and using beats to look at the key areas of the music curriculum; Listening, Singing, Playing Composing and Performing. We will also be looking at how we can make friends when we sing together and the social element of music.

Science

The children will be looking at and labelling parts of the human body. The children will then be linking parts of the human body to senses. We will be focussing on a working scientifically through comparing, contrasting and questioning our observations.

RE

We will be looking at the creation story within the Christianity faith this half term. The children will be exploring the story through our RE lessons where we will be looking at what it means to be a Christian.

PSHE

The children will be continuing to look at our bodies and link them to our feelings, we will be building upon our EYFS learning of emotions and how to self-regulate. Furthermore, we will be building upon our classroom rules and routines and how we can all contribute through our PSHE topic 'Me and My Relationships'.

PE

P.E over this term will be on Tuesdays and Fridays for Year 1 and we will be covering a range of skills. We will start by focusing on Yoga and balls skills, moving onto Gymnastics and fundamental skills later in the half term.