

Half Term Overview

English

This half term we will be studying the story 'The King who Banned the Dark' by Emily Haworth-Booth. We will immerse ourselves in the story and the vocabulary before writing a persuasive letter to the king to end the

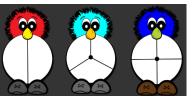


darkness ban and then finally we will retell the story in our own words.

Maths

In Maths this half term, we will be learning about mass, capacity and temperature before moving on to fractions.

We will also be continuing our weekly topical arithmetic sessions, where we

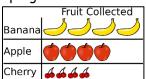


continue to practice our knowledge of the four operations.

Computing

In this unit, we will begin to understand what the term data means and how data can be collected in the form of a tally chart. We will learn the term 'attribute' and use this to help them organise data. We will then progress onto

presenting data visually using software. We will use the data presented to answer questions.



Important Information

PE days - Tuesdays and Wednesdays - Please ensure that your child comes to school in correct PE kit and that long hair is tied back and any earrings are removed.

Spelling tests are now weekly on a **WEDNESDAY**. Please make sure your child has their spelling book in school on this day.

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Maypole Dancing

We will be learning how 3 simple dances and the history of maypole dancing.

Games - Jumping 1

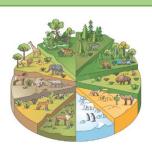
The unit of work will challenge pupils to apply their prior learning of how to jump and use this to jump in combination and link jumps.

PSHF

Our unit this half term is called Relationships. We will learn about: how everyone's family is different; which types of physical contact we like and don't like; how to use a problem-solving technique to resolve conflict with our friends; who to talk to if we ever feel worried; and how it feels to trust someone.

Science

This half term, we will be learning about different habitats around the world and how animals have adapted to live in their habitats by having certain characteristics.



History/Geography

Our topic for this half term is Nurturing Nature. We will be revising the continents and oceans of the world and then finding out about life in Somalia, a coastal country on the east coast of Africa. We will then compare and contrast the geography and culture of Somalia with the UK.

Art/DT

In Art this half term, we are completing a collaborative unit, where we will explore the world through monoprinting. The children will



finally create a communal collage of animals based around our science work on habitats

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This half term, we will start by finding out about the Muslim traditions around Ramadan and Eidul-Fitr. We will then begin our

learning in the unit called 'What did Jesus teach and how did he live?' We will explore who Jesus was, his baptism and his followers.