

In English

We will be writing instructions looking at bossy verbs and forming sentences. We will be also look at Stories with a Fantasy theme linked to our 'Toys' topic. There will also be a daily phonic session, daily handwriting lessons and weekly S.P.A.G lessons. Your child will read in Independent /guided reading sessions with an adult. We will be giving you a new day to change your books so one group will be changing each dav.

In Maths

We will continue to follow 'White Rose Maths'. We will be focusing on numbers to 20, addition and subtraction, 2d and 3d shapes. We are also working on forming numbers correctly and knowing the value of the numbers. Please can you work on number bonds to 10 e.g. $3+4=7$, $4+3=7$, $7-3=4$, $7-4=3$ knowing the relationship between the numbers.

In R.E.

This half term we will continue looking at the Jewish festival of Sukkot and we will also look at Christmas- why do we give and receive gifts?

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Key Vocabulary

-S.P.A.G- Spelling, Punctuation And Grammar, verb
-add, plus, altogether, subtract, take away, minus
2d, flat shape, corners, sides, vertices, 3d, solid, edges, faces

Science- We will be identifying and naming a variety of materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal and rock and describing the simple properties.

Art- We will be creating some firework pictures and moving onto our Christmas art activities.

DT- We will be looking at mechanisms. These are simple pop ups or sliders. We will design and make a pop up card or a slider card with a Christmas theme. **If you have any pop up toys or have anything with a slider, please share it with us.**

History- We will look at recognising the distinction between past and present by looking at different styles of houses and Identify some similarities and differences between their own houses and other children's. **If you have a photo of your house, please can you send it in and say when it was built. If anyone has any old toys that they could take a photo of or bring it in, we would love to see them!**

PE- Our P.E days are Monday and Friday. We will look at the Fundamental skills through gymnastics and looking at dance through a 'Toy Story' theme. We will be watching Toy Story clips throughout this half term looking at movement of characters. **Please can you check your child has a full PE kit in school.**

Computing- We will be inputting instructions into Beebots, predicting the path and using directional vocabulary.

PSHE- We will be looking at 'Health and wellbeing' where this covers communicating their feelings to others and recognising feelings.

Wider Curriculum

This half term we will be having a toy afternoon (More details to follow).
We will be practising for our exciting Nativity (details to follow)
We will also have Intra-School sports where we will compete in our team colours.

Values

Our value this half term is honesty/truthfulness then Advent
We will also look at making the right choices.