

English



The children will be reading a variety of texts starting with 'Augustus and his Smile' by Catherine Rayner.

We will be learning about:

- Different types of text including fiction and non-fiction
- Different authors
- Characters
- Poetry
- Writing for different purposes
- Reading aloud our own writing for others

We will be improving our punctuation, spelling and grammar, focusing on correctly using full stops, capital letters and finger spaces.

Science



The children will be looking at:

- Animal Lifecycles – what is a lifecycle?

We will be improving our knowledge and understanding of the world through designing experiments, evaluating and exploring whilst thinking scientifically. We will challenge our own beliefs by debating with others.

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Mathematics

The children will be covering the following areas during this term:

- Place value in numbers to 100
- Reading and writing numbers in numerals and words
- Addition and subtraction

We will be building up our fluency of number facts and our reasoning and problem-solving skills.



Computing



The children will be developing their skills through:

- Making e-safety rules and learning about the ways to stay safe online
- Discussing technology in our lives
- Understanding how to program a computer to complete simple tasks
- Using IT to support other areas of the curriculum

History

The children will cover the following key areas:

- Changes within living memory: childhood through time
- How was life different for children in the past?

Religion and World Views



The children will be exploring Bible stories celebrating the life of Jesus and the work that He carried out.

We will be thinking about 'What Christians believe about love (Agape)?'

PE



The children will be focusing on coordination using:

- Real PE program

This will be explored through a multi-ability cognitive focus and movement skill.

Music



The children will be performing songs in different styles and learning to sing a melody confidently.

Geography



In Geography, we will be looking at locational knowledge focusing on West Somerset, we will be looking at the key features and exploring the area from Taunton to Minehead and Exmoor to the Quantock Hills.

Art

For the first half term, we will be exploring Colour and Pattern through the famous artist Frida Kahlo.

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For the second half term, we will be exploring colour and colour theory. We will be focussing on the artist Rothko and his most famous paintings.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

In My Happy Mind, we will be meeting our brain:

- What does our brain look like and what does it do?
- How can we look after it?
- Our brain is an organ
- What is Neuroplasticity?
- Understanding that our brains can grow and change when you practise or work on something.