

Curriculum Overview
Term: Autumn One 2024

English Reading		English Writing	Maths	Science	RE
<p>We are continuing to encourage regular reading both in school and at home. We teach reading fluency in school. We are also focusing on teaching children how to answer comprehension questions on the text that they have read. Please ensure any reading at home is written in your child's reading record.</p> <p>Our texts during our class reading this term are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This Moose Belongs to Me by Oliver Jeffers - Earth Day by Jane Yolen (Poem) - Song of the River by Gill Lewis - Everything: Sustainable Energy – National Geographic Kids 		<p>We will begin this term looking at the story of Hansel and Gretel and writing a narrative piece.</p> <p>We will also be writing instructions using time adverbials, writing a recount of our trip to Lorton Meadows where we will focus on writing in first person and past tense.</p> <p>We will also write a story setting where we will be looking at expanded noun phrases.</p>	<p>We follow the White Rose Maths (WRM) scheme of learning for maths. The children are taught in single age year groups for maths.</p> <p>Year 3 In Year 3 we will be looking at place value (within 1000) and addition and subtraction.</p> <p>Year 4 In Year 4 we will be looking at Place Value (up to 10,000) and addition and Subtraction.</p>	<p>This term our topic is Nurturing Nature and we will be learning about plants.</p> <p>We will be looking at names and functions of a flowering plant as well as understanding the processes of pollination, fertilisation and seed dispersal.</p>	<p>In RE the big question is 'What do Christians learn from the Creation story?'</p>
PE	PSHE	Art	Music	Geography	Computing
<p>Indoor PE this term is Fitness.</p> <p>Outdoor PE this term is Tag Rugby.</p>	<p>In our PSHE lessons we will be learning about 'Valuing Differences'.</p>	<p>In art we are exploring how we can create self-portraits, looking at Great Artists and looking at 3D Shape and Shade.</p>	<p>In music we are learning to play the ukulele.</p>	<p>Our enquiry in Geography this half term is 'What difference do I make in my local community?' when looking at Local Sustainability.</p>	<p>This half-term, children will learn about the importance of online safety and our unit 'Connecting Computers'.</p>
<p>Ideas for supporting learning at home:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please continue to read daily with your child, both listening to them read to you as well as reading to them. • Please encourage written activities such as keeping a regular diary, writing the family shopping list or writing a postcard to family members. • Engage in the weekly home learning. This will either be a maths or literacy task as well as spelling practice. 					