

## Communication & Language

The children will continue to develop their confidence to speak in a familiar group, talk about their ideas and to listen respectfully to others. They will also develop these skills in our Role play area and through other areas of the curriculum.

## Expressive Art and Design

We will be exploring portraits through a variety of mediums and designing and constructing expeditions boxes.

## Physical Development

The children will be doing netball and football skills in their PE lessons with Mr Studd in the Spring term. We will also be attending several sports events with other schools.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be learning how to co-operate and take turns with others and form positive relationships with new adults and the other children in our class. Our Assembly themes this term are **Perseverance and Justice** .

## Mathematics

- Number - number and place value, addition and subtraction of 2 digit and 1 digit numbers, recognise doubles, multiples of 2, 5 and 10 and division.
- Measurement-weighing using non-standard and standard units, units of time and the value and totals of coins.

# Making a difference

## English

The children will continue to develop their phonic knowledge to use in their reading and own writing. They will be using both fiction and non-fiction texts during this term. We will be exploring our `Making a difference` topic through drama, poetry and story.

## Understanding the World

### History & Geography:

We will be developing our historical and geographical skills through our topic. We will focus on the lives and significance of past Monarchs and People who help us in our community.

### Science:

The children will be learning about materials. They will be naming, identifying and comparing everyday materials. We will also be learning to understand why materials are chosen for their specific properties.

### ICT:

The children will be using a range of technology (bee-bots, laptops, iPads, cameras etc) to create work in different curriculum areas. They will be learning that we need precise instructions to get technology to work and that safety is very important.

### R.E:

This year in R.E we will focus on Christianity and Hinduism. In the Spring term we will explore the questions... Who made the world ? And Why does Easter matter to Christians ? We will be comparing the Christian religion with Hinduism.

We will also be thinking about our Spirituality and our `special connection` with things around us.