

PE

The children will practise basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching and apply these to a range of games.

RE

The children will consider what it means to belong and how and why special and sacred times are celebrated.

Computing

The children will learn to recognise common uses of IT beyond school.



Garden Class Themes

Autumn Term 2020

English

Our texts for this term are *The Little Red Hen* and *Handa's Surprise*. The children will further develop their understanding of sentence structure and what a sentence needs. We will look at different word classes and apply this learning to make our sentences exciting. We will learn new vocabulary and develop our comprehension skills by re-reading and learning our chosen texts orally.

Mathematics

The children will further develop their understanding of the number system using concrete objects and written and mental strategies. We will practise applying our knowledge of number to addition and subtraction problems, moving onto using written representations. We will learn to use key mathematical vocabulary in class discussions.

In geometry, the children will learn about 2D and 3D shapes and their properties and in measurement, the children will learn about money.

PSHE

Over the course of the term, the children will learn to identify a range of emotions and discuss how they feel in a range of situations. We will learn about the importance of managing our emotions and when to ask for help and speak about our feelings.

The children will also develop their understanding of difference and diversity, learning to recognise that we are all equal.

Art and Design

The children will develop a wide range of art techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line and shape. We will look at how colour represents emotions. We will also look at African art and create our own pieces of art in the style of African artists and craft makers.

Design and Technology

The children will learn about Harvest Festival and where our food comes from. We will use the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet to create a simple dish.

Geography

The children will learn about the geography of our school and its surrounding area. We will create maps with simple keys to show our local area and use simple compass directions and directional and location language to describe the location of key features. We will also learn about the continents and oceans of the world and how weather changes both seasonally and daily.

History

The children will learn about the life of Nelson Mandela and how his beliefs and actions caused changes within the world.

Science

The children will learn about animals, including humans, and the things we need to survive and maintain a healthy lifestyle. We will also identify a range of common animals and sort them into simple groups.