

Lessons taught separately to our STEM topic will be:

- English
- Maths
- Science
- Computing
- PE
- Spanish
- RE
- PSHE

As readers we will...

- ... read texts linked to taking care of the environment including 'Tin Forest' and 'Hope Jones Saves the World'
- ... examine and understand the meaning of vocabulary in context
- ... retrieve answers to questions from fiction and non-fiction text
- ...continue to develop reading fluency

As scientists we will...

- ... explore the requirements of plants for life and growth (air, light, water, nutrients from soil, room to grow) and how they vary from plant to plant
- ...predict, test and draw conclusions about the needs of plants by planting a variety of seeds and plants
- ...investigate reflections
- ...identify ways light can be harmful
- ...investigate shadows and how they form

As mathematicians we will...

- ...consolidate 2, 4 and 8 x tables
- ...multiply 2 digits by 1 digit
- ...divide 2 digits by 1 digit
- ...divide 100 into 2, 4, 5 and 10
- ...divide with remainders
- ...count, add and subtract money
- ...make tally charts, pictograms and interpret the data
- ...measure, add and subtract length
- ...measure perimeter
- ...recognise and find a half, quarter and a third

Y3 non-topic related learning

Spring 1 Overview



In RE we will...

- ...learn about Sikhism

As athletes we will...

- ...travel, balance and jump in different ways
- ...perform sequences of travel, balances and jumps
- ...practise our invasion skills through handball and basketball

As writers we will...

- ...investigate and write our own poetry
- ...write a letter in role using pronouns
- ...write a persuasive letter using co-ordinating and subordinating conjunctions
- ...write an explanation text to show the life cycle of plants
- ...learn how to write a narrative

In Spanish we will...

- ...revise greetings, numbers and age through conversations
- ...learn how to say where we live
- ...learn the colours in Spanish

As computer programmers we will...

- ... develop our coding skills using Code Studio
- ...ensure we are being safe online
- ...use QR codes to research information

In PSHE we will...

- ...discuss selfless acts and how to be kind to others
- ...learn what to do in an emergency
- ...honour others for their kindness
- ...listen to one another and respect each other's views
- ...learn about keeping personal information private

As musicians we will...

- ...identify groups of musical instruments in an orchestra
- ...explore the timbre of instruments
- ...compose and improvise music inspired by music from around the globe.
- ...explore and play rhythms based on word patterns

In our Rights Respecting Schools work we will...

- ...learn about Article 11: Government to stop children being abducted/ taken out of the country.