



Learning Together: Working as One

Aspire; Believe; Succeed; Excel

Spring Term January 2021

Glorious Great Britain

Children will develop a knowledge of UK and be able to recognise countries within it.

They will understand key physical and human features and locations.

This topic will feed into all subjects below.




PSHE - Manners and Mental Well Being: We will look at what families are, respect, responsibilities, and online safety

RE - Christianity: stories from the old testament.



Art - Colour: colour mixing and painting techniques.

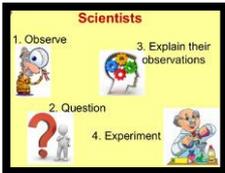
DT - Architecture: building structures.



Music - Dynamics:

- examine how music can be loud or quiet and the different effects this can produce.
- sing as a class group in polyphonic parts, in order to increase awareness of group music performance.

Science - Animals Including Humans:



- notice that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults.
- find out about and describe the basic needs of animals, including humans, for survival (water, food and air).

- describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.

Computing - Our themes will be: **grouping and sorting, making spreadsheets and creating pictures.**



PE - Team games and Agility.

Please do continue to explore the Purple Mash site you have logins for.

Teams is updated regularly with tasks for you to work on together Please do read to your child and ask them to read to you every day. This is such an important bonding time as well as learning time for you both.

PE will remain on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. As I am a bit of an outside person myself, we will embrace the temperature whatever it may be, so please ensure your child has jogging bottoms and a warm top to wear at all times.

Many thanks for your support at home in your child's learning journey!

Maths

This term's themes will be:

Multiplication and Division:

Focus on the recall of and use of \times and \div with 2, 5, 10

Fractions:

Exploring the concepts of $:\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{4}, 2/4, \frac{3}{4}, 1/3, 2/3,$

Time:

Telling the time to the hour, half past, quarter to and past, then 5 minutes. Understanding days, weeks and months as units of time too.

Position and Direction:

Whole turn, half turn and quarter turns, clockwise and anti-clockwise.

2D shapes:

Recognising shapes to name and describe their properties.



English



Alongside our daily Read Write Inc. sessions, we shall be reading different types

of text.

This term, these will be: **stories with familiar settings, themed poems and personal recounts.**



We will read and explore each genre and then use them as inspiration to write our own.

We will be trying really hard to think of our own ideas, form our letters properly, and remember capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. Using descriptive words and extending sentences with but, so, then, because, if and then independently will be the icing on the cake we aim to taste!

We will have spellings to learn each week in school and these are the 'Words of the Week' you will find on Teams.