

Key Stage 1-Summer Term 2018

During the topic for this term the children will ask 'Can I eat a biscuit everyday?' based on the book Biscuit Bear by Mini Grey followed by 'Can I make a plant happy?' using the book Lila and the Secret of the Rain by David Conway and Jude Daly.



English Through our two texts this term the children will continue to develop their writing skills through drama, producing their own versions of the stories and suspense narratives. They will also be writing simple instructions. They will write their own recounts of real-life events. In their writing they will use noun phrases, correct verb endings, use interesting sentence starters and great words to make their stories exciting to read. The children will continue to improve their handwriting and spelling, and work on reading comprehension skills. They will use capital letters, full stops and finger spaces in year 1 and in year 2 they will also use commas, question marks and exclamation marks. They will continue to develop their editing skills. Year 2 children will also complete their reading SATs papers.



Mathematics In year 2 the children will be telling the time using quarter to/ past the hour and also counting in five minute intervals. They will be reinforcing all four operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. Measuring capacity and temperature will also be part of the curriculum this term. They will also complete 2 maths SATs papers. Year 1 will focus on multiplication and division, reinforcing multiples of 2, 5 and 10. They will then move to looking at fractions, money and telling the time to o'clock and half past.



Computing The children will be collecting and sharing data, starting to understand how a branching database works and sorting different types of information. They will then go on to develop their skills of programming and debugging. Y2 will be using Hour of Code and Year 1 will use floor robots.



PSHE We are very lucky to have the Life Bus returning again this year. The children will be thinking about how to manage feelings, safety around medicines and how to be healthy. In the second half of the term the children will also be thinking about changes as they think about the next stage in their school journey.

P.E. The year 2 children will be continuing to develop their skills in multi-sports and increasing strength and fitness while taking part in circuits. Year 1 are also taking part in multi-skills and gymnastics. They will then move to athletics and have the opportunity to take part in sports day.

Science This half term the children will be thinking about healthy foods. They will be looking at the nutritional value of foods through the traffic light system when considering the topic question. They will look at the food chain of different animals including ourselves. We will also be looking at lifecycles, hatching eggs and making observations. We will also be growing plants at school and at our school allotment.



Geography/History

Continuing on from last term's topic the children will be using world maps again to see where different foods come from. We will explore what Fair Trade means and look at where the different Fair Trade products come from. They will then find out about Kenya and make comparisons. In History the children will be thinking about how farming has changed, with the help of a visit from a local farmer.

RE In R.E the children will be considering Special Places. In year 2 and asking 'Why is our world special?' in year 1.

Art/DT

In DT the children will be tasting and testing a variety of biscuits to help them create their own 'healthy' biscuit recipe which we hope they will sell. They will carry out a survey to find out about biscuits sold in the cafes in town. In Art they will develop colour mixing skills and look at the work of Any Goldsworthy to create their own natural material artwork.



Music The children will be singing, playing, composing, improvising and listening to music.

