

Science

In Term 1, we will learn about a range of everyday materials including, wood, brick, glass, plastic, metal, paper and rock. The children will find out what makes a material suitable for a specific purpose. We will also learn about the changes that happen when materials are squashed or stretched.

In the second term, the children will be finding out about living things and food chains. They will be determining whether things around them are living, dead or have never been alive.

Computing

During Terms 1 and 2 the children will also be learning word processing and keyboard skills with the Word programme.

In addition, the children will be using Painting programmes and continuing to use the school iPads and class laptops in the classroom.

Design Technology

We will be designing and making dungeons. We will also be evaluating the dungeons and testing them to see how they can be improved.

PSHE

In term 1 we will be thinking about feelings and relationships and how to manage them. During term 2 we will be looking at household substances, medicines and how to be safe.

Religious Education

In our first term, we will find out how to care for others and the world, and why does it matter.

In the second term, we will be questioning how and why do we celebrate special and sacred times.

We will also be learning about the Christmas Story and looking at ways people celebrate Christmas.

Year 2 Terms 1 and 2 2019



PE

The children will continue swimming lessons while the weather permits, where they will be improving their swimming strokes and playing water polo.

In addition to this the children will have outdoor games where they will learn throwing and catching skills and team games. In indoor P.E. sessions the children will be exploring movement through dance.

Geography

The children are learning the names of the countries in the UK and locating them on a map with the help of dragons.

In term 2 the children will learn a range of human and physical geographical vocabulary that describe our local environment. E.g. hill, river, vegetation, farm, creek, season, weather. They will then use maps to learn the location and names of the four countries of the UK and their capital cities.

History

We will think about how the local geography has changed in our local area and think about technological changes that help us to design our dungeons.

Music

In music the children will be developing the use of voices – singing with an awareness of dynamics and tempo. They will also be creating and experimenting with sounds and begin to play some tuned and un-tuned instruments.

Art and Design

The children will be investigating texture and colour to decorate their dungeons.