

Dear Parents and Carers,

This half term our main topic is 'Superheroes'. Where possible, all of your child's learning will be linked to this theme. This curriculum overview gives an outline of the areas of learning we intend to cover in Spring Term 2 (March-April). A copy of this document can also be found on our website. **PE lessons** continue to take place on **Fridays**. Homework will be set every Monday on MyMaths and other websites such as Purple Mash and MS Teams. Thank you.

Miss Machin - Class teacher

## **MATHS**

This term, the class will be learning a variety of mathematical skills and knowledge.

- Learning to solve simple problems involving money.
- Estimate, measure and begin to record the weight of everyday objects.
- Compare, estimate and begin to record the capacity of different containers.
- Use arrays to support multiplication. Solve simple multiplication and division problems.
- Recognise, find and name a quarter as one of four equal parts of an object or shape.

# **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

In RE we will be learning about **Following Jesus** 

The children will learn about how:

- Jesus chooses the first disciples
- Jesus teaches the disciples to pray
- The good Samaritan
- Jesus goes to Jerusalem
- Good Friday
- The Nativity



# SPORTS AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

This term's focus is on the creative skills of putting more than one skill in order and problem solving.

# **Year One**

# **Superheroes**

**Spring Term 2** 



## **MUSIC**

## Chance and Rhythms

Children will be creating short sequences of sounds, clapping background pulses, creating simple rhythms, exploring different sounds that they can make through their voices and Sing with an awareness of other performers.

# SCIENCE

This term our topic will be **Plants**. We will be identifying common plants and parts of a plant. Children will investigate what plants need to grow.

We will also be looking at seasonal changes that occur during Spring.

#### DT

In DT, the children will be creating a moving story book. They will be learning how different mechanisms work including sliders and levers.

# **HISTORY**

Our topic this half term is 'Superheroes' and we will be learning about significant individuals in history. We would learn about Mary Seacole, Jesse Owens and a few others. Children will be asking and answering questions about the past; They would use timelines to record important events in history. They will also use different sources to make conclusions about past events. The children will have a chance to carry out research using books, photos and the internet.

## WRITING AND READING

Throughout this term we will be reading the following stories:

'The Odd Egg' by Emily Gravett 'Leo and the Octopus' by Mar-

tin Jenkins



We will be creating a fact file; Writing our own version of a story and acting out key events; Describing a setting using adjectives and similes.

## PHYSICAL, SOCIAL, HEALTH EDUCATION

This term children would be using the Mindup curriculum where children would learn about the brain and what it does. They would practise mindful breathing and how it helps to calm and focus the mind.

# **COMPUTING**

The children will be learning how to use spreadsheets and looking at technology outside school and how to use it safely.

## **LIFESAVERS**

This term, the class will be learning about different ways we can manage money. Children will explore how we can help other people in our local community.