

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW SUMMER TERM 1 YEAR 2

This half term Badgers and Foxes will be learning all about lifecycles and the explorer Ibn Battuta.

If you want further information please contact Miss Ghunney, Mrs Hampson or Mrs Williams.

ENGLISH

We will be basing all our learning around the story 'Lila and the Secret of Rain'. The children will be completing a range of writing activities based on this story.

MATHS

We will be learning about capacity and how to measure, compare and order the temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$) accurately.

SCIENCE

The topic for this term is Animals Including Humans Life Cycles. The children will be learning about the life cycles of different animals.

HUMANITIES

In **HISTORY** we will be learning all about explorers, what motivates them to discover new places and the explorer Ibn Battuta.

This term in **RE** we are learning about the good news Christians believe Jesus brings.

PSHE

We will be learning how to recognise, and have, healthy relationships. Parents are invited to the SRE meeting on Monday 24th April at 9am.

PE

We have two PE lessons a week these are on **Tuesday** and **Wednesday**.

In net and wall games the children will be developing their tennis-based skills such as racket control, throwing and catching and striking.

MUSIC

Our topic in music is about friendship songs. This unit is a great cross curricular opportunity to explore friendship, kindness, respect and trust. The children will be using their voices and instruments to create pieces of music.

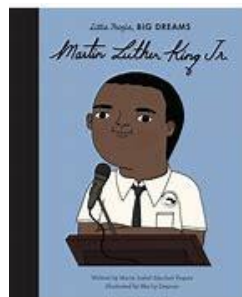
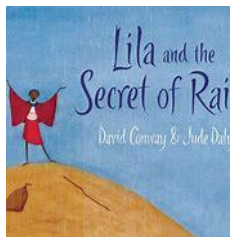
In invasion games the children will be revisiting basic sending and receiving skills and applying these to a variety of games such as football, basketball, handball and hockey. The children will be developing their tactical skills.

COMPUTING

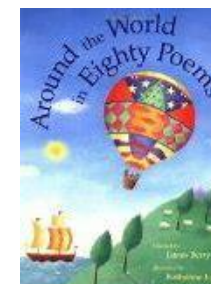
During this topic we will be using Scratch JR to create interactive quizzes.

**HOMEWORK BINGO IS DUE
MONDAY 22ND MAY**





BOOKS WE WILL BE READING



VOCABULARY

ENGLISH noun, verb, adjective, poem, author, conjunctions, narrative, text

MATHS thermometer, temperature, degrees, Celsius, unit, capacity, millilitres, litres,

SCIENCE lifecycle, animal, reproduce, metamorphosis, offspring

HISTORY: explorer, voyage, map, pilgrimage, Muslim, Islam

RE: Christian, Jesus, faith, gospel, good news, disciple, apostle

PE: tactics, sending, receiving, throwing, catching, striking

COMPUTING: code, quiz, structure, sprite, algorithm,

PSHE: healthy, relationship,

MUSIC: pulse, rhyme, beat, composition

HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT AT HOME THIS TERM

Homework: Please complete the homework bingo with your child.

Maths: For mental maths recall use TT Rockstars and Numbots to develop fluency

English:

Writing - ensure that your child is using the correct pencil grip and handwriting style when completing any writing.

Reading and Phonics - Ensure that you read with your child at least 3 times a week. They will have a phonics reading book, to read themselves and a reading for pleasure book that you can read with them.

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Please complete one activity from each of the learning columns below: One creative, one English and one Maths, so in total you will have completed 3 different pieces of home learning.

ENGLISH

- **READING** – Read a book of your choice and write some clues to help us guess what your book could be. Remember, don't tell us the title! You could include a drawing too.
- **WRITING** – Can you write a letter to King Charles III congratulating him on his coronation.
- **WRITING** – Can you write a story about an explorer? Use adverbs for time and expanded noun phrases to make your story exciting for the reader.

MATHS

ARITHMETIC – Can you create some missing number problems and solve them in your book? Don't forget to use a number line.

MEASURE – Can you measure the rainfall across a week of your choice. Predict how many ml of rain will fall each day and then record your findings. You might want to create a simple table to help you record your results.

MENTAL MATHS – Start using TT Rockstars. Class leader boards will be shared with the children in class.

CREATIVE

DT – Design a crown for King Charles III.

HISTORY – Research a place in the world you would like to explore. Create an 'explorer profile' including what you would need to wear to explore your chosen place and the equipment you should take with you. What do you think you would find there?

SCIENCE – Choose an animal and research its lifecycle. Share your findings in a creative way!