

ICT- In ICT the children will learn to create and publish using the programmes on Purple mash (2 create a story, 2 paint and 2type). You can use the programmes at home, using the username and password located in your child's reading record.

English

This half term we will linking our fiction work to stories about families- looking at the traditional stories of 'The Three Little Pigs' and 'Goldilocks'. We will also focus on the poem 'The House that Jack built'. Our non-fiction work will look at instructions while making craft for Christmas!

Phonics will continue to be taught daily.

Guided reading will continue to take place in small groups of children each week.

Maths

We have loved learning through the Mastery approach to maths last half term.

This half term we will focus on:
Sequencing and sorting, fractions, capacity, money and time.

Your child will also learn the fluency skills of counting 1 more/1 less and 10 more/10 less than a number.

Practice finding number bonds to 10 ($9+1= 10$, $8+2= 10$, $10= 7+3$) as this will help us to work more confidently and fluently in our maths work this half term!

DT- Levers and Sliders-Children will design and make a Christmas card using a lever or slider. They will evaluate their finished product.

Geography- We will learn about where our families live. This will include a field study. Children will be encouraged to ask and answer questions based on human and physical features of their local area. They will also use maps and plans to talk about their local area.

History- We will learn about how our grandparents lived a long time ago! We will explore evidence from photographs, adverts, newspaper reports and conversations. How were bathrooms different? How were kitchens different? We will have lots to explore during this unit!

Music- Buildings! We will follow the unit on buildings, exploring pulse and rhythm.

Family Album



PE We will follow the Lancashire Scheme of work. Our outdoor sessions will continue to focus on games as well as looking at the fundamental skills of gymnastics and dance including balance and movement.

RE We will learn about the Christian festival of Christmas in our unit 'Incarnation;- the children will explore their own preparations for an activity (and link to Advent) and learn about how Christians all over the world celebrate the birth of Jesus.

PSHCE- Me and My relationships

Science

We will learn about materials used in the home to link with our overall topic. Children will learn to identify the materials objects are made from. They will also learn to classify and sort materials. They will also begin to learn about simple properties. Year 2 children will also learn about natural and man-made materials and how materials can be changed.