

English

In English we are starting by reading 'meerkat mail' where we will focus on writing simple, coherent sentences with the correct punctuation.

We will be writing postcards, thought bubbles and a recount. Following this, we will move onto reading 'Lila and the secret of the rain' underpinned by 'little cloud' The children will be focusing on writing questions, thinking about characters points of views as well as similes underpinned by different writing outcomes.

Maths

In Maths we will start by working on place value. We will be looking at the tens and ones of an given number below 100. Using this knowledge, the children will be expected to identify, represent and estimate where numbers would be on a number line as well as compare number sentences.

We will then progress onto addition and subtraction where we will look more closely at number bonds to 20 and 100. We will also be looking at identifying patterns when adding and subtracting.

Religion

Our topic this term will begin by focusing on beginnings.

We will study the beginnings we have faced then explore the beginning of the world in relation to God's creation. Following this, we will explore what happens when someone is baptised and the signs and symbols associated with it.

PSHE

We will recognise the importance of welcome, of feeling comfortable with new situations and belonging to new groups. Children will learn about being a global citizen through Catholic social teaching.

Computing and E-safety

We are detectives!
We will be looking at solving a mystery by reading and composing emails. We will look at how we know emails are safe too.

PE

The skill we are practising this term is catching and throwing a small ball. We will play different invasion games to practise this skill.



Year 2

Autumn Term

Homework

!10 spellings a week which will then be tested on Friday

Number bonds/ times tables practise

Maths homework based on what we have been learning that week

Reading their books 3 times a week

Science

Children will be working on the topic of 'animals including humans' which will include what an offspring is, basic hygiene, basic needs of survival and exploring what a balanced diet is.

Wider Curriculum

In wider curriculum we will be looking at Africa, especially Kenya. We will be exploring the similarities and differences between the UK and Kenya in relation to the weather and climate, people and culture and size of the country.

In art and d&t we will work towards producing work linked to our topic of Africa.

Thank you for all your help and support!