

Maths:

This term the children will be starting off with learning about statistics. This will involve collecting data using our prior knowledge of counting in 5's to understand and create tally charts. The children will then use this information to create their own bar graphs and pictograms. The children will then move onto looking at 2D and 3D shapes, focusing on their properties and then finding different ways of sorting them. We will finish the term by looking at fractions, this will include understanding what a fraction is, equal and unequal parts, halves of objects and numbers and then quarters of objects and numbers.

Science: In their science lessons, the children will be learning about animals, including humans. They will learn all about the basic needs for survival and the importance of exercise for humans. They will also learn about the lifecycle of a human and some mammals. We will end the term with a trip to Chessington World of Adventures to see some animals that we have learnt about!

Computing:

This term the children will be focusing on the use of IT in everyday life. We will then look at when and where we use it and how it has made our day to day life easier. The children will then use iPads to take a range of photos. They will need to look at how we could improve these photos by learning about lighting, focus and positioning.

RE:

We will start the Spring term by finding out about Judaism. We will then move onto looking at Christianity and the importance of the Easter story to Christians.

English:

The children will continue with their daily spelling and reading sessions all through the Spring term so support with all English lessons. We will start the term with some story writing linked to the book 'Lost and Found'. The children will then begin to create their own version of this story by changing the main character, the animal and the setting. We will then move onto letter writing which will link to 'The Day the Crayons Quit'. We will look at features of a letter, high level language and then finish by writing our own letter as a crayon. The final 2 weeks of the term will focus on writing a recount. We will look at the features of a recount first, then visit Chessington World of Adventures which will then enable them to write their own recounts about the trip in the final week of term.

Year 2**Marvellous Mammals****Geography:**

Our Geography this term is going to have a huge focus on our linking schools project. We will start off by learning about human and physical features then look at these features in our local area. We will then compare this to an area in Cambodia where our linking school is based.

Wellbeing Curriculum:

As part of our well-being curriculum, we will explore the following questions: How can we look after other living things? What effects do we have on our environment? How can we look after our environment? Keeping safe week!

MFL:

During this term, the children will continue to develop their Spanish vocabulary. The topic will be called, Language Learning Powers.

Music:

The children will be focussing on performing, composing and appraising their own music.

PE: Throughout this term, the children will be completing a sequence of lessons on Pilates as well as work on their coordination and fitness through a range of multi-skills.