

PE:
As well-rounded, active citizens, our children will feel a sense of belonging by immersing themselves in a wide range of physical activities as well as welly walks. This term, our sessions will be guided by an external sports company. Our PE day is Tuesday.

Forest School:
We are extremely fortunate to be able to access provision for outdoor learning. We will be heading off on our adventures again this term! Our first date is 22nd April. **Please ensure children come to school with appropriate clothing and footwear for these sessions.**

RE:
To begin, we will be looking at the question 'What good news does Jesus bring?' We will be sharing a range of teachings by Jesus and be exploring what this can teach us.

In Spring 2, our focus question will be 'What makes some places sacred to believers'. In this unit we will explore Jewish, Muslim and Christian places of worship.

Christian Distinctiveness:
We demonstrate our Christian Values through daily acts of collective worship, singing worship and family group acts of worship.

English:
During the Summer term, our daily English sessions will be made up of Read Write Inc. These sessions are really about embedding and applying the children's decoding skills and building a stamina for writing, so it becomes second nature. The phonics screening check will take place for Yr1s in June.

Yr 2 will continue to have their SPAG lessons each day. We focus on a skill each week, ending the week in a short independent write.

For those now off our Rwinc, they will have English lessons using the Jane Considine scheme. We can't wait to see their progress and confidence shine!

Art & Design:
As artists, we will be exploring the work of Gloria Pettgare. We will be studying her Aboriginal art and discussing how her work can inspire our own work. We will learn a range of printing techniques.

Design & Technology:
As designers, our project this term our final outcome will be to make a fruit smoothie. Throughout this unit we will be looking at a range of different fruit and how we can prepare food safely.

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Music:
As musicians, we have a fantastic opportunity. Mrs Bickle will be teaching the whole class to play the steel drums. These will be each week for Summer 1 and we will learn a range of techniques. Keep your eyes peeled for a performance date!
We will also be learning Summer Show songs ahead of our performance in Summer 2.

Science:
As Scientists, we will be learning all about 'Looking after plants'. During this unit we will be using a variety of scientific skills such as: carrying out simple tests, creating suggestions from our observations, identifying, classifying and gathering and recording data. FOWA are organising some seeds for us to grow!

Maths:
As Mathematicians, Year 1 and 2 will be delving into the topics: time, money, multiplication & division and position & direction. Throughout the math's lessons, we will be using our mathematical knowledge to solve problems. We will be continuing to develop the children's ability to explain, prove and show their answers in another way to develop their mastery of maths.

RHE:
As healthy, confident and resilient children, we will be learning about safety. We will cover topics such as road safety, medicines, appropriate contact and respecting personal boundaries.

We will spend Summer 2 making the transition for all of our children.

History and Geography:
As Geographers, we will be learning all about Australia. We will be retrieving our knowledge of human and physical features, climates and landmarks. Miss Cose is very excited to tell the children about her time living in Australia.

As Historians, we will be learning all about The Great Fire of London. We will be looking at sources and researching to gather a picture of how the fire started and how it impacted the lives of those living in London. We will learn about Samuel Pepys and Puddling Lane.