

English

This term, our fiction text is *Man on the Moon*. We will follow the adventures of Bob and link this to our learning in topic about space explorers. We will find out about Neil Armstrong, and write reports about his adventures in space. We will continue to write in a range of fiction and non-fiction styles.

Please continue to encourage your child to use cursive handwriting at home!

Maths

This term, we consolidate counting in 2s, 5s and 10s. We will then link this learning to early multiplication and division, focussing on grouping, sharing and recognising equal groups. Towards the end of the term, we will learn all about length and height, and learn to measure objects using standard and non-standard units of measure.

Please practise counting to 100 at home!

RE

We will be exploring the Christian Easter story and discussing the themes of loss, hope, joy and resurrection. We will retell the Easter story, and then discuss which parts of the story are relevant to our lives. We will also discuss how the Easter story fits into the 'Big Story' of the Bible.

PSHE

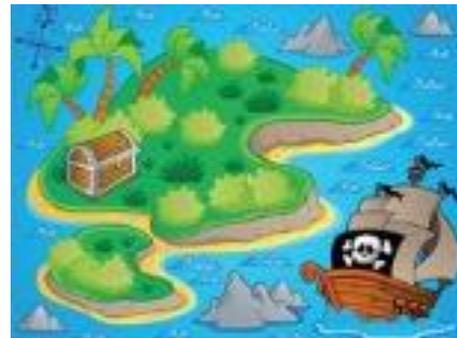
Through the 'Jigsaw' scheme of work, we will be focusing on the unit of 'Healthy Me'. This focuses on leading a healthy lifestyle, using medicines safely, keeping ourselves safe near roads and being hygienic.

Adventurers and Explorers

Year 1 - Term 4

Value of the Term: Truth

Learning to Learn Skill: Reflective



Computing

We will reinforce our learning about keeping safe online, and discuss respectful use of the internet. We will also be using computers to enhance our topic learning.

Hooks and Experiences

Children will have an exciting day exploring a range of stations to do with the Easter story!

Science

This term, we will be learning about seasonal change. We will watch the change from winter to spring, and discuss the way that the world looks different through different seasons. We will also monitor the weather and use pictograms to represent what we find.

Thematic Curriculum (History, Geography, DT)

Through our topic, we will be exploring the adventures of Neil Armstrong and Scott of the Antarctic. We will be looking at life in 1911 and 1969 to help us to understand why these events were so significant. We will be comparing the explorations, searching for similarities and differences. We will be learning to use a range of sources to find out about the past. We will develop our understanding of chronology by sequencing events.

Health and Well-Being (Art, Music, Sport)

We will explore pitch, tempo, dynamics and duration to compose simple pieces of music that reflect our changing moods.

We will be drawing and painting landscapes, working on pictures of far off, exotic and extreme lands.

The children will continue to complete REAL PE with their class teacher to develop fundamental movement skills. During PPA, the children will be developing their gymnastic skills.