

In Maths we will

- Count and calculate in a range of practical contexts.
- Use and apply mathematics in everyday activities and across the curriculum.
- Repeat key concepts in many different practical ways to secure retention.
- Explore numbers and place value up to at least 100.
- Add and subtract using mental and formal written methods in practical contexts.
- Multiply and divide using mental and formal written methods in practical contexts.
- Explore the properties of shapes.
- Use language to describe position, direction and movement.
- Use and apply in practical contexts a range of measures, including time.
- Handle data in practical contexts.

In English we will

- Study books by authors , such as Julia Donaldson, Roald Dahl and Nadia Shireen.
- Listen to and meet an author at the Cheltenham Literature festival.
- Read aloud and perform poetry.
- Fact files and diary entries about Samuel Pepys and Guy Fawkes.
- Character descriptions.
- Reading information about WW1 and writing reports about things we find out.

In Religious Education we will

Look at Harvest as a time for sharing and giving thanks.

Being Special: where do we belong?  
Who Christians say made the world?  
Why is Christmas special for Christians?

## A box of delights



In PE we will

- become gymnasts
- Swimming and water safety

In Topic we will

- Look at key events of the past including The Great Fire of London, Bonfire Night – use time lines to place an event or a significant person.
- Commemorate the Centenary of the end of the First World War.
- Harvest

In Art and Design we will

- Sort and arrange collage materials for a purpose.
- Draw lines of different shapes and thicknesses.
- Use pencils, pastels and charcoal in our drawings.
- Use scissors neatly and safely.
- Look at famous artists such as Matisse and Kandinsky

In Music we will

- Use voices expressively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes.
- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically.
- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music.
- Make and combine sounds using the inter-related dimensions of music.

In Science we will

Learning all about our bodies, eating healthily, digestion and what keeps us fit.

In ICT we will:

- Use programs to enhance our learning, including paint, Word, and Publisher.

Spellings will be given out on a Friday and tested on the following Friday.

Homework, when appropriate will be given on a Wednesday.

Please continue to hear your child read at home, ideally at least 3 times a week. We look forward to working with you and your child.

Mrs Gorton, Mrs Allen, Mrs Davies, Miss Watkins and Mrs Ferris.