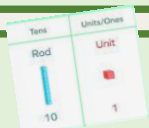




IPC

In our topic 'From A to B' we will explore different transport methods, look at how we travel to school and use maps to record our journeys for Geography. In History we will use different sources to explore transport in the past and look at timelines of when different types of transport were invented. In Science we will plan and implement a simple test to explore air resistance. For Design Technology we will design and evaluate our own vehicle and then test how well they work. For our Art lessons we will look at capturing movement in art and impressionist styles.



Maths

We begin with 'Place value' this term. A great start to the year, refreshing the fundamentals by counting and subsidising groups of objects accurately, reinforcing numbers to 20 and recognising tens and ones within 2-digit numbers to 100. We will be counting in 2s, 5s, 10s and 3s. Towards the end of term we will use this knowledge to move onto 'Addition and Subtraction' including money, understanding mathematical symbols, language and exploring part-whole models.

Music

In music we will be learning about beat and rhythm.

R.E and PSHEC

Our R.E focus this half-term is 'Big Question'. We are exploring the story of 'The Creation' from different religions. PSHEC lessons will focus on rules and their importance. We will also be developing our listening skills and listening to the views of others.



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P.E

P.E will be on a Tuesday and Thursday afternoon.

In P.E we will be developing Fundamental Movement Skills and Multi-skills. Developing aerobic endurance by controlling pace and stride, showing control over our bodies to perform different movements and improving our co-ordination.

English

Through our Power of Reading text the children will be learning to structure and punctuate different sentence types, use descriptive vocabulary. They will create character descriptions based on what they have read so far and what they can infer from the story. They will use drama to support their use of descriptive writing to immerse the reader in the journey of a character from the story. The children will be encouraged to reflect on and edit their writing and consider word choice.

Reminders and upcoming dates

Please ensure all children have a water bottle every day and suitable coat as we head into Autumn the weather can be quite unpredictable!

Please bring in your Reading Records every day – we expect that the children are reading at home everyday. Please add comments about your children's reading.

Year 1 pupils will have forest school on a Monday afternoon, please wear suitable clothing and bring a change of footwear. Our trip to The London Transport Museum is on 7th November and more details will follow shortly.