

### Mathematics

- Length and height
- Weight and volume
- Addition and subtraction (within 20)
- Place value (within 50)
- Ordering number up to and within 50
- Writing numerals to 20

### PSHE

This half term we will be talking about belonging to a community. We will discuss what it means to belong to a community and what a community is. We will be discussing rules and what they are, how to care for others and looking after the environment.

### Religious Education

In RE we will be thinking about the question 'Who is Jewish and how do they live?'. This half term the children will have the opportunity to look at the Jewish religion and see how they celebrate religion.

### Music

In music children will be introducing the children to tempo and dynamics. We will be discussing how music makes the world a better place.

### ICT

Children will be working on their researching and word processing skills through learning how to use a keyboard and how to present information in different ways.

### English

In English this half term, we will be reading the story Beegu. We will learn about diary writing and produce a piece of writing in the style of a diary entry. We will also recap instructions and produce some independent writing during this half term. Another text we will read is the Tiny Seed, we will be looking at leaflet writing and in the last week of term we will be producing our own plant leaflets. One of our homework tasks this half term will be to research plants ready for us to create our information leaflets.

## Year 1 - Spring 1

### PE

This half term in PE we will be doing dance. We will learn new moves and how to put these moves to different beats and types of music. We will perform a dance routine at the end of the half term in groups. We will assess each other's routines and talk about what we liked most.

### Art / DT

We will be focusing on sculptures. We will be using clay to create beautiful flowers for spring. We will focus on pattern and colour.

### Science (Seasonal change)

In science we are looking at seasonal change. Last half term we went on a seasons walk and discussed what we could see and hear. This half term we will do the same and then compare Autumn and Winter. We will be able to name the seasons and talk about things associated with these seasons. We will discuss what we do to adapt to the different seasons. Finally, we will be talking about the different plants and animals associated with each season.

### History: Great Inventions (Transport)

We will be investigating five famous explorers this term in history - Idn Battuta, Captain Cook, Roald Amundsen, Captain Robert Falcon Scott and Sunita Williams. We will be thinking about what makes these people great explorers. At the end of the unit we will be creating our very own memorial for the explorers we have been researching about. Children will have the opportunity to gather information from iPads and books and we will be teaching the children how to do this safely.

### Geography: People and their communities (London and the UK)

The children will be learning about 4 different world journeys in this unit (coastal, rainforest, dry and world city locations). We will be learning about the continents and deepening our understanding of place knowledge. The children will be using their map skills and gaining knowledge of looking at maps and using maps to find different places. We will also be linking our learning to our own local area.

### MFL (Spanish)

We will be learning about the Epiphany. We will also learn how to say numbers to 10 in Spanish and be able to write some numbers. By the end of the half term, the children will be able to tell you how old they are in Spanish.