

MATHS

Year 1 will work on Addition and Subtraction within 20, followed by Place Value within 50.

Year 2 will work on Multiplication and Division, followed by Statistics and Properties of Shape.



HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY

This half term, our Geography Project is called

'Let's go to the Arctic'

We will explore the Arctic Circle, study climates, Arctic Animals, cities and towns within the Arctic and observe Physical Features.

SMSC & BRITISH VALUES

We will be looking at some current topics, such as New Year's Resolutions and Internet Safety Day.

LITERACY

Within Literacy we will work with a range of both Fiction and Non Fiction texts, and, use writing for a variety of purposes, such as, list writing, postcards and storytelling. We will build up towards a big write, by creating our own story maps and then will finally edit our own versions of a story called 'Antarctica.'

The children will also continue to learn to read and write the Common Exception Words for their year group. Please find these attached and please practise at home, to read and write them as much as possible.

KS1 CLASS NEWSLETTER SPRING 1 2019 EXPLORERS

D&T & ART

Art and DT work will be linked to the Arctic. We are planning a super Art project based on the Northern Lights.

P.E.

Coach David will to work with the children during two sessions each week on Multiskill Team Invasion games and we will also be working with Dance teacher Rachel; to rehearse for U-Dance.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

In RE we will study Hinduism, looking at festivals celebrated, special artefacts and beliefs too! We will also make connections between the Hindu faith and Christianity.

Our half term will also end with a multicultural week to celebrate Chinese New Year.

SCIENCE

Year 1 will learn all about Seasonal Changes.

Year 2 will continue with their study of Living things and their habitats.

OTHER NOTICES

Library Day – Continues to be a Monday.

Snack Money - £3.00

Spellings - Sent home on Monday for Friday's test.

Homework – Given on a Friday to be returned the following Monday.

I.C.T

We will use Purple Mash to support our learning.

MUSIC

The children will continue to enjoy a weekly music session led by Mrs Sloan, following the Music Express scheme.

We will also listen to some Chinese music during Multicultural Week.