

English

In English this topic we will be looking at two great authors – AA Milne and Beatrix Potter.

We will be looking at creating stories based on Winnie the Pooh and Peter Rabbit and using these to create some non-fiction pieces such as letters and instructions. We will also be looking at poetry about nature.

We are continuing to develop our skills by:

- Leaving spaces between words
- Sounding out words when spelling
- Punctuating sentences using a capital letter and a full stop
- Using a capital letter for I and names
- Joining words and clauses with 'and' & 'because'



Reading, Phonics and Spelling

We will be revising all sounds and looking to link sound families together.

Please could you aim to read with your child 3 times a week and books should be brought back to school every day.

Date of Exit Task:

Wednesday 22nd May 2019 – This exit task will be a whole class trip to homestead park. We will be leaving at 1:30 and returning to school for 2:45. Please can you let us know if you will be attending.

Stay and Learn:

Our stay and learn this term will be on Wednesday 15th May and will run from 2:30 to the end of the day.

Learning in Malala Class
Summer 2019

Topic: Great British Countryside

Art & Design

In Art and Design for this topic we will be looking at using natural materials to create artwork. We will also be creating prints, sculptures and drawings based on the countryside and nature.

In DT, we will be looking at healthy eating and preparing and making food. We will look at where food comes from and food from around the world.

Science

This topic we will be looking at animals and plants.

We are beginning by looking at humans and labelling the human body.

We will then be looking at the parts of a plant, how they grow and what they need to be healthy. We will also be learning to identify different parts and leaves.

We will also be learning to name different animals, describe their structures and identify if they are carnivores, omnivores or herbivores.

Topic

Our topic this term is Great British Countryside. Within this topic we will be learning about Winnie the Pooh and Beatrix Potter.

We will look at the history of both and the impact they have had on the world.

In geography we will be comparing the countryside and the city and looking at different countries within the UK.

R.E

In RE this term we will be looking at the gospel and what good news Jesus brings. This will be taught by Mrs Bruce on a Tuesday afternoon.

Computing

In computing this term we will be learning how to use the internet to find information. We will be looking at the history of Winnie the Pooh and creating a fact file about it. We will also be looking at internet safety and how to use computers correctly.

Maths

This term we will be covering place value to 50 and 100, measurement, multiplication and division, fractions and time. This will be covered using equipment and physical resources with an emphasis on understanding numbers in all forms.

Each day we will be having a maths meeting in order to practice our number bonds, number facts and counting. Please take any opportunity you can to count with your child and practice these facts.

We will be continuing to send out weekly maths practice for the tests each Monday. Please practice whatever is sent out with your child. This really helps improve their maths skills.

P.E.

P.E will be taught on a Thursday afternoon this half term. Please ensure your child has a full P.E kit with indoor and outdoor shoes as the weather is still quite unpredictable!

Other class news

As we get into the warmer months, could you please send your children into school with sun cream on as we will be spending a lot of time doing outside learning and gardening. If the children would like to, they could plant a plant at home and watch it grow. They could even bring some pictures of their plant as it develops.

As always, thank you for all of your support and do not hesitate to come and chat to us about any queries or concerns

Miss Denley and Mrs Faletas