

### **English**

Our class book will be 'Asha and the Spirit Bird.' We will plan and write a quest story based on this book. We will also create our own explanation texts based on our Science theme 'Light'. We will look at different types of clauses and how to use accurate speech in our writing. We will learn to write in paragraphs. In guided reading sessions, we will develop the skill of inference and use clues from the text to work out how characters might be feeling. Spelling lessons will be daily and we will also be working on developing our handwriting and presentation skills.

### **R.E.**

We will be describing how Christians show their beliefs about God the trinity in worship and in the way they live.

### **Computing**

We will be focusing on the internet - what it is, how it works and how it is used around the world.

### **Science**

Our Science theme will be 'Light'. We will be learning that we need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light. We will look at how light is reflected from surfaces and recognise that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect your eyes. We will look at how shadows are formed and change.

### **Maths**

Our main focus in maths will be looking at multiplication tables of 3, 4 and 8 followed by addition and subtraction using mental strategies.

### **History & Geography**

This term we have a geography focus. We will be exploring 'The wondrous West country'. We will be studying our local area and Wales. We will be visiting Brinkworth dairy to study local food and farming. We will use 4 figure grid references to locate features on maps. We will study land use, population, settlements and tourism.

### **Art and DT**

This term we will have a DT focus. We will be exploring healthy food and varied diets. We will be looking at the Eatwell plate and designing our own healthy sandwiches which we will make in class.



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### **PE days**

PE days will be on Mondays and Thursdays.

### **Music**

We will be developing our skills with playing the glockenspiels.

### **MFL**

We will be following a unit called 'All about Me'

### **Reading**

Please encourage your child to read daily at home. Reading books and reading records need to be brought into class daily.

### **Homework**

Weekly pick and mix homework plus spellings. Given out on Tuesday and returned the following Monday

### **PE**

**Outdoor PE (Thursday)**  
Outdoor Adventurous Activities

### **Indoor PE (Monday)**

Circuit training

### **PSHE**

We will be following the SCARF unit 'Valuing differences'