



# What we will be learning this half term

<p><b>READING</b></p> <p>Pupils will read a range of non-fiction texts, including instructional texts. When reading non-fiction books, they will learn how to use the contents page, glossary and index.</p> <p><b>Reading Comprehension</b> Pupils will be reading texts and answering questions independently. Types of questions include: multiple choice, true or false, matching and sequencing.</p>	<p><b>How to help at home</b></p> <p>Ensure your child regularly logs in to Reading Eggs at home.</p> <p>Listen to your child read daily and ask questions to check for understanding</p> <p>Complete weekly English Homework on Google Classroom</p>
<p><b>WRITING</b></p> <p>Pupils will write poems and instructional texts.</p> <p>They will be covering: Rhyming words Bossy verbs (imperative verbs) Time conjunctions (first, next, then, after, last) Alternative spellings (silent letters)</p>	<p><b>How to help at home</b></p> <p>Practise weekly spellings</p> <p>Practise neat handwriting</p> <p>Practise writing sentences beginning with a capital letter, finger spaces and ending with full stop</p> <p>Complete weekly English Homework on Google Classroom</p>
<p><b>MATHEMATICS</b></p> <p>This half term pupils will learn about: Comparing and ordering numbers to 100 Mentally recalling bonds for the number 20 (1+19, 2+18, 3+17, etc.) Addition and subtraction with numbers up to 30 using mental strategies</p>	<p><b>How to help at home</b></p> <p>Ordering random number cards from smallest to largest</p> <p>Complete weekly Maths Homework on Google Classroom</p>
<p><b>SCIENCE</b></p> <p>This half term we will continue to learn about animals including humans. Pupils will learn about different animal classifications (mammals, birds, reptiles, amphibians and fish). They will also learn about herbivores, carnivores and omnivores.</p>	<p><b>How to help at home</b></p> <p>Read books about different animals. Watch animal videos on YouTube. Visit a local zoo or petting zoo.</p>
<p><b>COMPUTING</b></p> <p>This half term pupils will continue to use Espresso Coding to code simple games where objects move across the screen. They can hide or stop when clicked on by the mouse.</p>	<p><b>How to help at home</b></p> <p>Log on to Espresso Coding at home and use the free code area.</p>

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Pupils will learn about Muslim routines and rituals. They will identify a Muslim place of worship and learn about the Qur'an.	Pupils will learn about staying healthy. They will learn about healthy and unhealthy choices as well as how to keep clean and safe.
ART & DT	PE
Pupils will be looking at Structures Design & Creating a house using the computer aided design (CAD) software tinkercad	<u>Dance</u> Pupils will develop a short dance, linking simple movements to create patterns. <u>Balanceability</u> Pupils will participate in an early cycling program to help them develop balance and control.
Music	Humanities
Pupils will learn how to name and play different percussion instruments.	In History, pupils will learn about toys from the past and compare them to present day toys.