

English

Writing- The four dragons narrative – Children will learn a folk tale from Asian culture and adapt this into their own retelling.

Non- chronological reports on Japan and China

GPS- Children will learn about different word classes and spelling patterns; incorporating these within or writing.

Reading- Non chronological texts on China and Japan, this will help children learn more about each country and examine the features of non fiction writing.

Art & DT

This term children will examine the works of Hokusai and his piece 'the wave' over the term children will develop their artistic skills using layers to create their own piece.

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Science

In Science, we will be learning about electricity, how to construct simple circuits and test materials to see if they are insulators or conductors.

Maths

Addition and Subtraction

We will be learning our 6,7 and 9 times tables. Finding 10,100 or 1000 more than an y given number.

Using place value to help estimate and round numbers to the nearest 10 ,100 or 1000.

Using column addition and subtraction.

Useful Information

- PE kit to be worn to school on Monday and Thursday
- Regular times table practise using Times Table Rockstars.
- Children should read regularly at home and write in their reading record.
- All children to have the correct uniform and equipment for school.
- Children do not need to bring their own footballs or equipment into school.
- Children do not need their own pencil cases.
- Please upload Home Learning via Class Dojo or bring into school.
- Children should bring a water bottle to school with them.

Computing

In computing children will learn how computer networks are built, how each component works together to connect to the internet, printers or other devices.

Music Disco - Pop

This term we will be introducing the children the music of ABBA and wider dance, disco themes. Children will understand how songs are composed and different element s put together. Children will learn to play instruments follow rhythm, pitch and tempo.

R.E.

This term we will be looking at beliefs and practices in the Buddhist faith. Children will discuss if religion is important today and how it can influence or inspire people who practice worship.

P.E.

Tennis and dance, Pe Kits to be work on Mondays and Thursdays. Outdoor tennis on a Monday and indoor dance on a Thursday

Geography

Children will be developing their map working skills, grid referencing and locating countries on a world map.

Understand important features of the Earth such as the equator, North and South poles.

Be able to explain why climates are different around the world.

PSHE

As a school we are following the Year 4 Jigsaw Scheme 'Being Me in My World'

We talk about being welcoming, becoming a class team and a citizen within the school and wider community. Children will learn about their roles and responsibilities and how decisions have actions and consequences.