



Year One Spring Term 2021

Welcome to Spring Term 2021! We hope you find this brief overview useful. Please use it to support your child's learning.

As Citizens we will:

Follow our RE programme of study and in PHSE we will

- Explore comfortable and uncomfortable feelings.
- Focus on building relationships.
- Discuss anti-bullying strategies.
- Learn about identity and self-esteem.
- Think about difference and diversity.

As Linguists we will:

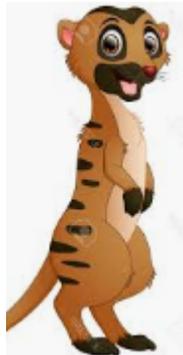
- Use phonetic knowledge to decode and read familiar words and phrases.
- Identify features of fiction and non-fiction texts.
- Explore descriptive writing.

As Geographers we will:

- Find out about different localities and habitats.
- Develop key questions to ask about a locality.
- Learn how to locate the equator, North Pole and South Pole on a globe.
- Learn about and record the weather.

As Artists we will:

- Explore lines of different thicknesses with pencils and paint brushes.
- Name and use primary and secondary colours.
- Use paint to convey a variety of moods.
- Create collages.



Our Big Questions:

Why are humans not like tigers?

Why can't a meerkat live in the North Pole?

As Musicians we will:

- Use our voices to speak, sing and chant.
- Make different sounds with instruments.
- Recognise repeated patterns.
- Follow instructions about when to play and sing.
- Clap short rhythmic patterns.

As Computer technicians we will:

- Use a simple 'paint' program.
- Research our topic online.
- Learn about e-safety with Smartie the Penguin.

As Scientists we will:

- Identify and classify creatures.
- Sort living and non-living things.
- Name the parts of animals and humans.
- Talk about what we see, touch, feel, hear and taste.
- Learn about how an animal is suited to an environment.
- Ask and answer questions, giving simple reasons for the answers.

As Athletes we will:

- Take part in weekly P.E lessons exploring ways to move and stay healthy.

