



For more detailed information, please see our dedicated curriculum pages where you will find a full progression of learning for each subject.

## French

In French, the children will learn 10 fruit nouns with their correct determiner, move singular nouns to the plural form, use the structure 'j'aime' (I like) with each fruit noun along with the negative structure 'je n'aime pas' (I do not like).

## PSHE

Our PSHE unit is: Growing and Changing. We will be following the SCARF lessons to use a combination of discussion and practical tasks to sensitively explore this topic. The children will be taught the correct terminology when describing body parts, as detailed in the statutory RSE guidance.

## RE

In RE we will investigate the key question: 'How do people use creative ways to express their beliefs?' They will draw together ideas from across their learning debating whether forms of art is art or can be viewed as worship.

## Science

Our science focus this term is: Plants. Children will find out what plants need in order to stay healthy once they have grown. They will identify and describe the functions of the different parts of plants and explore what plants need for life and growth. Kingfishers will work scientifically and collaboratively to explore the different functions of a plant, for example, how water is transported.

## Art

This half term the children will be exploring how shapes and negative spaces can be represented by three dimensional forms. They will manipulate a range of materials and learn ways to join and create free-standing structures inspired by the work of Anthony Caro.

## PE

This half term's focus in PE is the 'Health and Fitness' cog and the fundamental Movement skills of Agility and Static Balance. The children will participate in striking and fielding games with a continued focus on athletics too.

**Our PE days this half term will be Monday and Friday**

## Computing

Building on the use of the 'ScratchJr' application in Year 2, the children will progress to using the more advanced computer-based application called 'Scratch', learning to use repetition or 'loops' and building upon skills to program; an animation, a story and a game.

## Geography

This half term, the children will answer the key question, 'Are all settlements the same?' through exploring different types of settlements, land use and the difference between urban and rural. Furthermore, they will describe the various human and physical features in their local area and make land use comparisons with New Delhi.

## Music

In music, Kingfishers will listen to a range of rag and tal music, identifying traditional instruments as well as creating their own improvisations and performing together.

## English

This half term we will continue to use 'The Egyptian Princess' to write our own Cinderella narrative. The children will also get into role as Howard Carter discovering Tutankhamun's tomb and write diary entries to Lord Carnarvon reporting his findings. In Guided Reading, we will use a range of extracts to practise key reading skills of skimming and scanning, retrieval and inference. Our whole class read is: 'Ted and his Time-traveling Toilet: Oh No Pharaoh'.

## Maths

Our Maths units this half term are:

- Time
- Shape
- Statistics

The children will use concrete and pictorial representations to support their understanding.

Our KIRFs (Key Instant Recall Facts) are: **to know the multiplication and division facts for the 8 times table**

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