



Maths

This term we will be building on our Mathematical skills from Year 1. We will start with Place Value which looks at the position of each digit in a number. Then we will move onto addition and subtraction. We finish the term learning about shape.

Please remember to use Numbots and White rose 1 minute maths apps at least 3 times a week.



English Writing

This term we will explore a range of texts including narrative, poetry and non-fiction persuasive letter. We will be looking at the following texts:

Last stop on Market Street, If I were in charge of the world, The day the Crayons quit and My Christmas Star.

English Reading

This term, children will be continuing with daily phonics lessons. Phonics books will be changed 1-2 times a week on different days so please return reading packs to school every day.

Topic

Home Sweet Home is our topic this term, where we will be learning about our local area, building geographical skills like map reading and creating delicious fruit platters in DT. In October we will be going on an afternoon walk to Chesham and Lowndes Park. **We will be looking for some parent volunteers to accompany us – further information will follow soon.**

Wider Curriculum

PE days: Wednesday and Friday.

Cricket on Monday Autumn 1 – wear PE kit.

Library on Tuesdays – bring your library book each Tuesday.

Music – we will be learning about Folksongs. We will be using percussion instruments and learning to play Glockenspiels.

Computing: We will be looking at IT around us as well as learning about and practising digital photography.

Art: In Autumn 2 we will be looking at the artist Alma Thomas and trying to create our own piece of art based on her techniques.

Science

Our topic is: **Uses of Everyday Materials.**

We will be identifying and comparing the suitability of a variety of everyday materials such as wood, metal, paper, plastic, brick etc.



Notices

Visit: 30/11/23 Parents invited to see our artwork.

Trip: 20/10/23 Y1 and Y2 walk to Chesham

Homework:

- 15 minutes of reading each day
- Numbots/1-minute maths min 3x a week
- Daily phonics videos sent via text
- Weekly spelling – books sent on Monday and returned on Friday.
- Any additional handwriting/consolidation work sent by Mrs Bell on a Friday (to be returned the following Thursday)

We appreciate all your support! 😊