PSHE

In Jigsaw lessons this term we will be learning about how we change as we grow from a baby. We will talk about things that we learn to do as we get older and things we want to learn to do in the future.

English

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In English, we will begin by working on 'The lighthouse keeper's lunch' and writing our own stories by adapting the text. We will then move on to a nonfiction text about how lighthouses work and research and write our own fact files. We will then look at 'Jack and the beanstalk' and create a new version of the story.

In phonics we will continue to learn RWI set 1, 2 and 3 sounds in preparation for phonics screening.

In guided reading, we will be practicing our inference skills whilst reading The Hodgeheg, and Charlottes Web. We will also be reading a variety of non-fiction texts and poetry.

Maths

In maths we will be learning units of number that involves counting and grouping in 2's, 5's and 10's and counting up to 100. We will be learning how to separate numbers into tens and ones and continue to practise 1 more 1 less. We will be learning how to identify halves and quarters and exploring length, height and capacity.

Art

In art, the children will creating work based on the sculptor Andy Goldsworthy. They will be using things that grow to create different sculptures based on his work.

Support from Home

Please be reading at least three times a week with your child and logging this in their reading record.

To support your child further, research what plants need to grow, the different environments that plants live in both in the UK and around the world.

Year 1 Term 3

Ready, Steady grow

Theme

This term we will be diving into things that grow. We will be dissecting plants to understand their different parts, growing plants from seeds and experimenting different environments to grow plants in.

R.E.

In R.E, we will learn about how to develop and explore Big Questions about how the world and other things came about. To celebrate that people may think differently and that it's OK to disagree. We will learn how to ask what matters to them - questions of meaning, purpose and truth.

Science

In science, we will be learning about all things that grow.

We will learn the names of some common varieties of wild and garden plants, including trees. We will learn the simple names of the parts of a plant. We will discover the different kinds of trees and that some are deciduous and some evergreen

P.E.

In PE, we are learning how to play Tag rugby. The children will master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching. They will earn to hold and pass a rugby ball accurately using the correct technique and to understand some of the basic rules of tag rugby.

Geography

In geography, we will be looking closely at where we live. We will learn about similarities and differences between villages, towns and cities, the people that live there and the services on offer. Later we will develop our map skills by looking at maps of the local area as we work to create our own maps.

History

In history, we will be learning about nurturing nurses by looking at impact of the work of Florence Nightingale, Mary Seacole and Edith Cavel in the Crimea and WW1.

Computing

In computing, we will be learning about data, how it can be collected and presented in tally charts, pictograms and block diagrams. We will then learn how to use this data to answer questions.

D&T

In D&T, we will be learning about, designing and making healthy sandwiches. We will learn about what makes a healthy, balanced meal and practise the skills of chopping, grating and spreading. We will design our own sandwiches before making and evaluating them.