



Key Stage 1 - Summer 2



Literacy

We are going to be reading fairytales and twisting them to create alternative versions. The children will apply all their skills this year in different genres, such as writing diaries, posters and letters

Science

In Science, we will be focusing on plants. We will grow our own bean plants.

We will look at the growth process of plants and how they spread their seeds.

Maths

The children will be learning about division and fractions, solving problems and learning reasoning skills. The children will be applying and recalling their number facts helping them to build up their mathematical fluency.

History.

We will compare the lives of Queen Victoria to Queen Elizabeth. How has society changed throughout the last century?

This term our topic is:

Fairy-tale Castle Twisted Tales

Music

We will continue learning to play the ukulele.

PSHE

How do we express our feelings, how do we affect others feelings, and how do we change or control our feelings?

ICT

They will be practising their word processing skills, such as typing up their stories.

Art

We will enjoy two Art Days – practicing and refining the skills we have learnt throughout the year. We will create an art gallery.

PE

Our P.E will focus around athletics. We will have an Olympics week, where we will learn about countries and train for different events. This will build up towards our sports day.

Design Technology

We will design and build model castles and evaluate how we can make them stronger and more stable.

RE

Special places. What makes a building special for Christians and Hindus

Hook and round up.

Rationale: : We Are going to start the topic with a dress up day on Monday 7th June. Children can come to school dressed as kings, queens, or jesters (castle related). We are then going to head into 'fairy tale Castle Story' land. What could we see? Who will we see? What fairy tales do the children know? We are then going to learn about and adapt different fairy tales to create alternative versions.

Round up: The children will read their stories to the year R children. Photos will be online afterwards. Please look at your calendar dates for the half term as there is a lot going on, such as with transitions and the year 2 leavers assembly.:

All Things New!

Each class will have the opportunity to use the school library **once a week**. The children will be able to choose a book to read for pleasure at home, to go alongside their coloured reading book which is matched to their reading level. Please remind your child to change their library book on their allocated day;

NEW

Monday – Dolphins, Tuesday – Seals, Wednesday – Seahorses

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This half term we are lucky enough to be having our Chelsea coaches on a **Friday** for PE. The children can wear their PE kits into school on Friday. Please ensure all items of clothing are named.

Homework



Lots of children have reached their 175 read milestone last half term, well done if your child is one of them! Please encourage your child to read for a few minutes each night and to write a comment in their reading diaries. You now have access to **BUG CLUB** where there are lots of books to read!



Remember – Hold a sentence homework will go out on a **Monday** and is due back in on a **Friday**. You will receive an email every Monday with all the homework, including Purple Mash activities so give these a try!