

English, inc. phonics

We will continue with our daily phonics lessons, learning new sounds and applying them to our reading and writing. Children will bring reading books home which match to their phonic lesson, just as last year.

During our English lessons, we will continue to learn different traditional tales. We will sequence and retell stories, focusing on the children's use of capital letters, finger spaces and full stops. We will also learn to use 'and' to join two phrases/sentences together. We will also be encouraging the children to use their phonic knowledge to decode their own words. We will work on our letter formation and size and ensure our letters sit on the line. This term, we will also begin to write with more independence.

Maths

- * *Addition and subtraction within 20*
- * *Number and place value—numbers to 40*
- * *Introduction to multiplication*
- * *Length and height*

Science—Seasonal Changes

In this topic, we will learn about the four seasons, seasonal changes and typical seasonal weather and events. We will measure the weather, using different scientific equipment. We will learn about day and night and recognise that seasons have varying day lengths in the UK.

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Geography – Bright Lights, Big City

We will learn about the United Kingdom—the four countries and their capital cities. We will learn about physical and human characteristics of the UK, whilst doing an in-depth study into London, which we will later compare to Kuala Lumpur. We will use locational (next to, behind) and directions (forwards, left) language to move between London landmarks.

Homework Project

To be completed and in school by Friday 10th March.

Create something about London!

Our topic focuses heavily on London being the capital city of England. For homework, please may children produce a piece of work all about London. It could be; a fact file, a model of a London landmark, a map, locating London and different Landmark, a poster—anything! We will discuss different ideas in class—be as creative as you like!