



History

We will be learning about great explorers such as Ibn Battuta, Robert Falcon Smith and Christopher Columbus and their international achievements.

Geography

We will be learning about hot and cold climates around the world, naming the 7 continents and looking at key physical and human features of India and the Antarctic.

Art

We will be looking at Indian Art and designing our own Rangoli patterns. We will also be making a large collage together of Hindu temples and Indian elephants. We will then be making sculptures of the Antarctic landscape, polar bears and clay penguins.

RE

We are going to start the term learning about at Judaism. We are learning to empathise with Jewish children by understanding what they do during Shabbat and why it is important to them. We will then look at Christianity, learning to identify when it is easy and difficult to show friendship and to explore when Jesus may have found it difficult.

PSHE

Our topics for this term are Relationships and Changing Me. We will be learning about different types of families, making friends, people who can help us and what is appropriate physical contact. We will also be learning about how our body has changed since we were babies and making sure that we know the proper names for the parts of our body that make us girls or boys.



Around the World



DT

We will be designing and making our own desert island moving pictures.

Music

We will be using our voices expressively and creatively by singing Hindi songs and speaking chants and rhymes.

Computing

We will be learning about how to keep safe when using a computer or a tablet. We will also be learning to create simple code in order to move objects.

PE/Games

We will continue our games lessons with Mr Sewell on a Wednesday afternoon, our focus will be athletics. 1J will be continuing with dance on Tuesday afternoons; 1H will have their dance lesson on a Thursday afternoon. **Please make sure that your child's PE kit is in school all week. Long hair needs to be tied back and earrings removed or covered.**

English

This term we are going on a pretend journey to India! We will be writing labels, captions, facts about India and creating posters. We will also be writing a recount about our time in India. Next we will be visiting Antarctica and writing poems about the icy landscape. We will be reading The Journey Home and writing our own stories. We will then be writing about desert islands and what we might like to take with us.

Maths

We will be covering most topics in Maths this term - recapping number and place value, learning more about telling the time, solving problems and missing number calculations when we do addition and subtraction, finding out which container holds the most in capacity and volume and finding fractions of numbers and shapes. We will be multiplying practically in 2s, 5s and 10s and learning to divide practically by sharing out objects. We will be recapping 2D and 3D shape and learning about different turns whilst doing position and direction. Finally we will be practising giving out amounts of money and counting money to find out how much we have. We will also be weighing objects to see which are the heaviest.

Trips

We are hoping to organise a trip to Gray's Farm.

Science

This term we will be investigating materials. We will distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made and identify and name a variety of everyday materials, including wood, plastic, glass, metal, water and rock. We will also be describing the simple physical properties of a variety of everyday materials and comparing and grouping together a variety of everyday materials.