



Maths

In Maths we will be building on our knowledge and understanding of the following:

- **Fractions, decimals and percentages**
- **Money**
- **Geometry**

We will continue to build maths fluency by learning our times tables and apply the above skills to problem solving and reasoning in order to improve children's 'thinking' and 'resilience'.

Music

We will be focussing on exploring pitch and volume and playing instruments using contrasting songs:

- **'Make You Feel My Love' - Adele**
- **'The Fresh Prince of Bel Air' - Will Smith**

Mandarin

We will be developing our written and spoken language this term with a focus on **physical appearance** and **personality**.

Computing

Children will develop their computing skills through:

- **Creating music** using a range of technology
- **Improve video footage** using editing techniques

Science

In Science we will be growing our skills in 'working scientifically through the following units:

- **Circle of life** – life cycles and reproduction in plants and animals
- **Humans**- growing up and growing old, changes in development and puberty

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'Achieving Together'

English

The Hound of the Baskervilles: A Sherlock Holmes Graphic Novel and The Lost Book of Adventure by Teddy Keen

Through the study of these texts we will write two narratives and a report.

Our focus for reading will be books about the Victorian era, famous inventors and poetry

In grammar we will teach:

- relative clauses, commas for clarity and synonyms to build cohesion

PSHE/Citizenship

We will grow our understanding of **relationships** by knowing how to look after each other and managing our emotions and also at staying safe when **sharing images**

History

In History we will be studying **'The Vikings'** and explore the question:
'Were the Vikings raiders, traders or something else?'

Geography

In Geography we will study how humans use the oceans and why our oceans are important to us
'Why do oceans matter?'

Art & Design/Design Technology

We will grow our knowledge and skills by:

- Exploring and using different **sewing stitches** to create textile items.
- Understand the skills needed to be a **fashion designer** when creating own design in 2D and 3D.

Physical Education

In P.E. we will learn and develop skills in the following:

- **Gymnastics** – understanding tension balances and perform and evaluate them
- **Swimming** – swim 25m unaided and using a range of strokes and perform self-rescue
- **Leadership** – developing skills to become an effective leader who can plan and deliver activities as part of a team.

Religious Education Hinduism

We will explore how and why this faith is followed.