## **ENGLISH**

In Reading lessons, children will be introduced to their new class text, Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl. They will be answering different styles of questions as we progress through the book. Children will also be reading their Accelerated Reader book in school and at home. Please listen to your child read regularly and update their reading record.

During Writing lessons, children will be using the class text to inspire their writing. They will be writing narratives related to the text, as well as a newspaper reports and even designing and making their own chocolate bar to help them produce a persuasive advert.

#### RE

In RE lessons, children will be learning about the importance of The Last Supper. They will be studying how Christians remember this important part of the Christian calendar. They will also be studying a range of artwork and music developed by Christians related to this part of the Bible.

## **GEOGRAPHY**

In this term's geography lessons, the children will be learning about the water cycle. They will be learning about each of the stages and understanding the importance of each stage. They will then study famous rivers of the world, learning that all rivers start at a source and end at a mouth.

## **PSHE**

In PHSE this term we will work through 'My dreams and goals'. The children will focus on what they would like to achieve in the future. The children will be thinking about how to stay motivated, remain positive and how to focus on the task in hand even if it becomes complicated.







**ART** 

In Art this term, children will be

studying the work of Sonia

Delaunay. They will be learning

about her life and how she

developed her own style called

'Orphism', which focuses on using a

range of different colours. They will

then design and create their own

piece of art based on Sonia

Delaunay's work.

Miss Lunn Teaching Assistant

## **MUSIC**

Mr Fuidge

Class Teacher

In Music this term, the children will be continuing learning how to play the ukulele. They will continue to have weekly lessons from a specialist music teacher and will continue to take their ukulele home to practice in preparation for a performance.



# SCIENCE

In Science lessons, children will be learning about 'States of Matter'. They will learn that everything is in a state of either solid, liquid or gas and will identify examples in their own environment. They will also learn that some materials can change state and return to previous states and others can't.

## **MATHS**

In Arithmetic lessons, children will be recognising and calculating with numbers to 2 decimal places. They will also be continuing their work on grid multiplication by building up to multiply a 2-digit number by a 2-digit number.

In Geometry lessons, children will be learning to classify shapes before using the knowledge they have gained to draw the shapes through using coordinates on a grid. Children will also be expanding on their knowledge of fractions by calculating fractions of amounts.

In Data and Measure lessons, children will be retrieving discrete and indiscrete data from tally charts as well as calculating the perimeter shapes. They will also be learning how to tell the time to the nearest 5 minutes.

## **COMPUTING**

In Computing lessons, the children will learn how to become Music developers. They will be using the software 'Garage Band' by firstly exploring how to use the application. The children will then go on to compose a range of music by a range of artists including ABBA. The children will then go on to produce their own piece of music using Garage Band. They will then have the opportunity to perform their music to the other children.

## **INFORMATION**

PE day is **Tuesday** and the children should attend in full St Martin's PE kit on that day.

Children will have ukulele lessons every **Thursday** and will be expected to bring their instrument to school.

Homework is set every **Friday** and due in by the following **Thursday**. Weekly spellings will be tested on a **Friday**.