ENGLISH

Reading will remain a focus for the summer term and children will be encouraged to change their books regularly. Our lessons will continue to develop the skills of retrieval, inference and word meaning.

During writing lessons, we will be focusing on the key skills of using capital letters and full stops within all our sentences and will be writing instructions about how to make pizzas. We will also be writing a recount about our trip to Iron Bridge and will be writing a non-chronological report all about Florence Nightingale.

RE

What is the good news that Jesus brings?

Children will investigate the lives of some people for whom Jesus was the 'good news'. Jesus offered friendship, forgiveness and peace to everyone he met, and the children will think about how these three offerings are 'good news'.

SCIENCE

We will be getting our 'green fingers' at the ready to become young gardeners in this unit to grow some plants. We will observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants, and we will investigate and describe how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.

PSHE

Relationships

During this half term, we will be discussing families, how to deal with friends and conflict. learning about secrets and celebrating special relationships within our lives.

Design & Technology

Perfect Pizzas

We will start by discussing our favourite pizzas as a class before moving onto examining, describing and categorising a variety of bread-based products and toppings. We will finish the unit by designing, making, eating and evaluating our own pizza.







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MATHS

This half term during our maths lessons we will revisit how to find factions of both shapes and amounts. Children will find, name and write the fractions before moving on to solving word problems involving fractions.

We will then explore estimation, where children will make a good guess based on what we already know. Finally, we will look at time. We will use the mini clocks to help us read the time practically before learning how to read and write the time to the hour, the half hour, 15-minute intervals and 5-minute intervals.

COMPUTING

We will be working with our science data about mini beasts from last half term to produce basic charts. We will also record information on a digital map as well as use the internet to search safely and effectively using Google and other search engines.

HISTORY

We're stepping back in time in our locality to learn about the lives of some significant people in the history of our local area. We will learn about James Francis Truscott. Thomas Farnolls Pritchard, Thomas Telford, Florence Attwood and John Cadbury to understand what contributions can be made to make someone significant and what evidence we can examine to understand their lives and their impact.

INFORMATION

PE will continue to be on a Monday and Wednesday. Please make sure that children are dressed in their PE kit and have appropriate footwear on. Earrings must be removed before the sessions.

Please try and hear your child read at home.

Adults in school will also be listening to them read during the school day so please make sure their book and reading record are in school every day.