

# TRANS - AUTUMN TERM 2020

## TOPICS

### History

- Remembrance Day – what happens on Remembrance Day, war memorials, why we wear poppies.
- Flight in the Past – how and when man started to fly, the Wright Brothers and how aeroplane flight has changed the world.

### Geography

- Is it really round? - Continents and oceans and plotting a journey on a world map.

### Science

- Animals and Humans – growing up, food groups, keeping healthy and personal hygiene.
- Materials – classifying and sorting materials, investigating elasticity and waterproof materials.

### Art and DT

- Observational drawings and recordings using a variety of media.
- Puppets – textiles: investigating, planning, making and evaluating.

### Computing

- Paint- using different brushes, techniques and short cuts to create a variety of different graphics and a piece of wrapping paper.
- Word- Creating a fact file- children will be changing fonts, inserting pictures and using basic features to create a complete fact file linked to a class subject.

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## LITERACY

- Sharing news and views
- Joined handwriting practice
- Writing – instructions, using language of time in creative writing, using simple poetry structures
- Sentence structure and grammatical awareness, punctuation skills to include capital letters, full stops, commas, exclamation marks, question marks and speech marks
- Phonics and weekly spellings
- Alphabetical order and dictionary skills
- Reading, focusing on fluency, comprehension and expression
- Weekly written comprehension

## NUMERACY

- Properties of numbers and sequences
- Place value, ordering, estimating and rounding
- Four operations + - x ÷
- Money and related problem solving
- Measures and time
- 2D and 3D shapes and their criteria
- Symmetry and rotation
- Fractions ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$ )
- Data handling
- Mental calculation strategies
- Times tables (on-going practice)

## **PE/GAMES**

This is a very exciting time for the children as it is their first opportunity to go to the field for football. We will also be starting distance running in games. In gymnastics we will be learning a variety of rolls, headstands and cartwheels. By the end of term we will be starting our pairs balancing lessons.

## **MUSIC**

This term, children will be exploring rhythm in many different songs and chants. Children will practice by drawing, clapping and saying different rhythmic patterns and by the end they will be able to create simple rhythmic patterns and use them to build a polyrhythmic composition.

## **FRENCH**

- **Myself** - Introductions, saying hello and giving name, age and where you live. Written work on this
- **Foods** – likes and dislikes on the topic of food

## **RE**

- Special times including milestones, shared meals, Eid, Diwali and Hanukah

## **PSHE**

- Feelings, beliefs and rules
- Keeping healthy and safe
- Mental Health & Well Being

## **Please note:**

Children should come to school on a **Monday** in their football kit (shinys) with their tracksuit on top. They will then change in to their uniform in school.

## **Homework**

Reading – every day

English, Maths, Topic and Spellings – Refer to the note sent home by your individual class teacher