

English



Children will be writing letters, book reviews, adapting popular stories, writing monstrous instructions, poetry and play scripts. We will continue to work on our joined handwriting, and ensure punctuation, such as full stops and capital letters, question marks and apostrophes for possession are used correctly. Our class read will be 'Flat Stanley' by Jeff Brown.



Maths



This term, children will look at the areas of maths listed below. As well as these they will chant daily (the 2,3,4,5,9 and 10 times table) and complete 'Big Maths' challenges on a Friday.

- Geometry: position and direction
- Problem solving and efficient methods
- Measurement: Time
- Measurement: Capacity and Temperature

Geography



Children will be developing their understanding of areas of the wider world. They will talk about hot and cold parts of the world, including the Equator, and North/South Poles. They will locate China and its main cities on a map and compare Sutton with a contrasting town in a different country. They will use maps and atlases and use directional language.

Year 2 – Summer Term



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Science



Children will be exploring living things and their habitats. They will understand how habitats provide animals with the basic needs for survival. They will gather data to answer questions of how animals, plants and animals rely on each other. Children will then look at food chains, the classification of animals, and recognise that animals have offspring and grow.

Music



The theme for music this term is 'Friendship Song'. Children will decide how to find the pulse before clapping the rhythm of their name, make up their own rhythm, sing in two parts and play an instrument using 3 notes (C, E and G)

History



Children will be learning about significant individuals in the 1800s with particular focus on the nurses Mary Seacole, Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell. They will compare their similarities and differences, how hospitals operated at that time and the impact they had to nursing.

Computing



Children will learn how to code, create a simple sequence of instructions using at least three different blocks. They will identify a variety of blocks in 'Makecode' and arrange them to create a working programme.

Art & Design



Children will be creating a famous face in the style of Andy Warhol. They will be looking at his methods and work, explore their own ideas before drawing and painting a piece using his style! Later, they will be investigating prints through overlapping shapes, pressing, rolling, rubbing and stamping.

PSHCE



Relationships:

Different types of family, physical contact boundaries, friendship and conflict, secrets, trust and appreciation expressing appreciation for special relationships

Changing Me:

Life cycles in nature, growing from young to old, increasing independence, differences in female and male bodies (correct terminology), assertiveness, preparing for transition

French



Children will begin by recapping classroom commands in French. They will learn the months of the year, using correct pronunciation. Children will then learn different types of weather in spoken and written forms

PE



Tennis: control of tennis ball, forehand, backhand, volley, rallying and apply these to tennis matches.

Athletics: throw and jump, running in lane, distance running, relays, competitions, javelin

Design & Technology

Children will be investigating mechanisms, focusing on sliders and levers. They will investigate a range of everyday products that having moving parts, including those with sliders and levers. They will then make a product of their own!

RE



Children will be learning about the key people, places and festivals in Islam. They learn the role of the Imam, why the Qu'ran is important to Muslims and why the mosque is such a special place for Muslims.