

## English

This term, we will continue to consolidate and learn phonics and use this knowledge to write words. We will be writing in sentences, ensuring they have a capital letter at the beginning, full stop at the end and finger spaces between the words. We will also be practising our letter formation and learning to spell tricky words. In reading, we will continue to build our sight vocabulary and use phonic knowledge to blend, in order to read unfamiliar words. We will be reading a range of texts linked to our 'Superheroes' topic, including 'Super Daisy', 'Supertato' and 'Traction Man'.

## Science

Our topic in Science is 'Everyday Materials'. We will be learning how to distinguish between an object and the material from which it is made, identifying and naming a variety of everyday materials and describing their physical properties. We will also be looking at seasonal changes in the world around us.

## Music

In Music, we will be learning about pulse, rhythm, pitch and tempo through listening to a variety of different music and playing games. We will also have some songs to learn for our KS1 Nativity.

## PE

This half term, we will do 'Fitness' on a **Friday** and after half term it will be 'Ball Skills'. PE with Premier Sport will be on a **Wednesday** and will start with 'Fundamentals' and move on to 'Sending and Receiving' after half term. **Please ensure long hair is tied back and earrings are removed on PE days.**

## PSHE

We will cover units on 'Working Together' and 'Rights, Rules and Responsibilities' as well as 'Family and Friends'.

## RE

In RE, we will be learning about the Christian family and the beliefs and practices of the Christian faith.

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If you are particularly interested in any of our work this term and would like to be involved in Hedgehog Class' learning, especially our Forest School sessions, please do let us know.

## Art

In Art, we will be exploring mark making and creating line drawings; working and experimenting with different media through observational and collaborative pieces.

## Forest School

This year Hedgehog class will be having sessions on a **Tuesday afternoon** with the class being split into two smaller groups - each visiting Forest School fortnightly.

## Maths

We will begin by learning about place value, counting forwards and backwards from any number, identifying one more and one less than a number and practising writing numerals correctly. We will then be adding and subtracting and exploring the names and properties of shapes.

## History

We will be learning about Florence Nightingale – a famous hero from the past and how she improved nursing. Then we will think about how firefighters are modern day superheroes and travel back in time to find out what life was like before the fire service; learning all about The Great Fire of London.

## Design Technology

We will be designing and making a puppet. We will create our own designs using a template, develop our cutting skills and explore different joining methods.

## Geography

We will be looking at weather patterns and seasonal changes. We will note the weather each day and as the seasons change venturing out into the village to look for signs of each season.

## Computing

In Computing, we will become more familiar with the different components of a computer by developing our keyboard and mouse skills, and also start to consider how to use technology responsibly.