

## English

We will be reading *The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark* by Jill Tomlinson as our reading comprehension book while others continue to work on the phonics.

We will use the story *Meerkat Mail* by Emily Gravett to create a character description and a fact file. We will also look at some poetry.

## Science

We will be learning about different types of animals and the things that they need to be able to survive. This will build on our existing knowledge from Year 1.

## Maths

We will begin our maths lessons this year by looking at place value and securing our knowledge of reading numbers and counting. We will also looking at adding and subtracting 1 digit numbers to 2 digit numbers before we move on to repeated addition and counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.

## History

Our history big question is 'How were schools different in the past?'. We will explore how schools have changed over time going all of the way back to the Victorian era.

## Design & Technology

We will use a variety of media types to create a stained glass map.

## PSHE

We will begin our topic 'Families and Relationships' where we will explore different family dynamics and what to do when we have friendship struggles.

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Autumn 1



## Music

In music we will look at call and response using animal sounds.

## Computing

This half term we will be looking at computer systems and networks that are all around us.

## PE

In our PE sessions with Charlie we will be working on exercise to help our health and wellbeing. In our additional lesson we will look at dance using explorers as a stimulus.

## RE

Our big question is 'Who is a Muslim and how do they live?'