English

We will continue to read 'The Worst Witch' by Jill Murphy and work our reading comprehension skills. Our writing stimuli will consist of 'The Day the Crayons Quit' by Drew Daywalt, 'The Princess and the Pea' a traditional tale and 'The Switch' a visual stimulus from Literacy Shed. We will be working on our writing to inform and writing to entertain skills. We are also using the RWI spelling scheme and practising our joint handwriting.

III Science

This half term we will be working on the biology element of Science. Our units this term are 'Light & dark' and 'Living things and their habitat'. The children will be working scientifically to complete experiments and asking and answering questions to develop their learning. In Science, the children are encouraged to have high aspirations for future learning and potential careers in Science.

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∕⊐Music

Children will take part in Whole School Singing.

Our unit is 'Musical Me'



The children will continue learning through CLIC sessions, during these sessions they will also be recapping their prior learning. Also in maths the children have been learning their 3 times table which we will continue with this term. The children will be looking at 2D and 3D shapes and their properties. The children will expand their knowledge on understanding of position and direction the move onto amounts. During our amounts unit, the children will be comparing amounts of distance, mass and space. Children should continue to practise their timetables.

Computing

E Safety Focus: Health Wellbeing and Lifestyle. Looking at effective strategies for using technology in different environments and settings.

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In PE the children will be working on our School Value 'team work' through their new topic 'Team Building.' The focus of the learning is to introduce teamwork. The children will also be performing 'Dance: Water'. The focus of the learning is to explore and respond to a stimuli through structured tasks.

RE

Our Big question this term is 'Why does Easter matter to Christians?' During this topic the children will be looking at the importance of Easter being in Spring, the festival of Easter and understanding the impact of Easter on Christians.

Geography

Why is our world wonderful? Learning about the world's wonders, the names and locations of the world's oceans considering what is unique about the local area.

Art & Design

Mechanisms: Fairground Wheels — Labeling and constructing a wheel, looking at existing products, building a structure with a rotating wheel

PSHE

We will complete our unit 'Safety and the Changing Body', then we will move onto our 'Citizenship' unit. During this unit we will be looking at different needs for a range of pets, discussing the needs of babies and children, identifying different groups children belong to and discuss voting.