

English

We will become authors of our very own fairy tale narratives, following inspiration from the story of Hansel and Gretel. We will be learning to sequence our sentences to record instructions on how to make a woodland crown. We will finish the term with a recount of our very own wild rumpus.

Maths

Maths will be taught through the Power Maths scheme. Our main focus this half term is numbers to 50, measuring length, height, weight and volume, multiplication and division. We will also continue to develop our addition and subtraction skills and applying our knowledge to problem solve.

Science

We will be turning green fingered in Year 1 focusing on native plants, flowers and trees. We will be looking at how plants grow and learning to name different parts of a plant, as well as learning to identify and name a variety of British flowers and trees. We will also be exploring British wildlife and learning to group animals based on what they eat, their features and adaptations.

Music

Pop music will be our genre focus. We will explore the song 'Your Imagination' which will allow us to experience the pulse, rhythm and tempo of a piece of music. We will also learn about the appreciation of music and discuss what we like and dislike about different songs and genres.

Year 1 Summer Term Enchanted Woodland

PE

Our gymnastic skills will be put to the test when exploring how to use different parts of our body to balance. We will also be developing our coordination and throwing and catching skills as part of our athletics unit.

RE

We will focus on the Jewish celebration of Shabbat and will investigate the key question 'Is Shabbat important to Jewish children and why?'. We will experience Shabbat for ourselves within the classroom, to help us to understand the importance of the traditional Jewish celebration.

Phonics

Phonics will be taught daily using Read Write Inc..

Geography

Weather patterns and seasonal change will be a key focus for our geography lesson this half term.

Art and Design

Through exploring the work of Yvonne Coomber and Andy Goldsworthy, we will experiment with the use of colour and different sketching and painting techniques to create a vivid wildflower meadow landscape. We will discuss our likes and dislikes towards different pieces of artwork and discover how different colours can be formed through colour mixing.

Computing

We will become coding experts, learning how to follow and generate our own instructions to create a simple program and how to debug code. We will design characters, backgrounds and exciting actions to make our programs come to life.

PSHE- Jigsaw scheme

Relationships will be our main focus this half term, learning all about different types of families, what it means to be a good friend and exploring what special relationships mean to us.