
THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME!
Literacy
The children will be looking at a variety of different aspects in Literacy this term in keeping with our theme.
• We will be learning how to use finger spaces.
• We will be learning how to use capital letters and full stops.
• We will be learning how to form our letters correctly and how to use our phonics knowledge to write words.
• We will be learning how to plan sentences based on our class stories.
Art/DT
In Art, we will be looking at spiral art.
We will look at how we can control the lines we make by being aware of how we hold a drawing tool, how much pressure we apply, and how fast or slow we move. We will look at how we can draw from observation or imagination. We will learn that we can use colour to help our drawings engage others.
In DT, we will be looking at using moving parts to make our Christmas cards,
Science
• This term, we will be looking in and around our school grounds with outdoor activities to identify various types of trees and plants.
• We will be thinking about the features that help us identify them and the different parts that make up flowers.
• We will also be looking at the changes that the seasons will soon be having on the trees in our local area.
PSHE
In PHSE, we will be looking at rules, roles and responsibilities. We will look at what responsibilities we have and how we fit in as part of a community. We will think about the different groups that we belong to. We will also focus on understanding what community is and how to be a responsible citizen within a community, helping to look after the local area.
Music
This term, the children will be looking at the differences between traditional music in England and compare this to traditional music from other countries. This will include the National Anthem of Great Britain, the bagpipes of Scotland and the drums of Africa. The children have music on Wednesdays.
PE
This term, pupils will explore the fundamental skills of balancing, running, changing direction, jumping, hopping and skipping. Pupils will work collaboratively with others, taking turns and sharing ideas through fun multi-skills type activities. Pupils will develop balancing, rolling and jumping. They will use these skills individually and in combination to develop sequence work, with others. They will also explore the basics of yoga.
History
The children will be looking into the ways in which Sutton St James has changed over time.
• Children will learn about the ways that farming has changed over the years.
• Children will be able to sequence the way in which Sutton St James has changed in the order that they have happened through recalling events and photo sequencing.
RE
• This term, we will be looking at what Christians and Muslims believe in. We will look at their beliefs and how these beliefs are translated into their everyday life. When studying Islam, we will look at how Allah is described in the Qur'an and what Muslims learn about Allah and their faith through the Qur'an. In Christianity, we will learn what Christians learn and understand about God through Old Testament Bible stories.
We will also look at what stories in the New Testament tell Christians about Jesus.
Maths
This term, the children will have a focus on number and place value. They will be building their knowledge number recognition, sorting as well as addition and subtraction within 10. We will be using tens frames, number lines and part whole models to support this learning. We will also begin to look at shape, both 2D and 3D.
Geography
This term, in Geography we will be focusing on the local area and how land is used in the village.
We will also be learning about the 4 countries which make up the United Kingdom. We will learn the names of the capital cities in the UK and discover some of their famous landmarks.