# English

Over the next few months, we will be continuing to focus on improving our writing and building on the length of our writing. We will learn writing techniques like coordinating conjunction, onomatopoeia and metaphors, as well as develop our paragraph writing. We will be using these skills, along with other writing techniques to produce different writing styles including a piece of instructional text which will be inspired by our class reader. We have Guided Reading 3 times a week, as well as regular spelling and handwriting practice.

# PE

We are taught PE by Liam on Wednesday afternoons and will be concentrating on games skills. On a Thursday we will doing Parkour with Mrs Morgan-Lewis.

PE kits need to be worn to school on Wednesdays and Thursdays

#### Maths

In maths, we will be learning about shape, multiplication and division, and length, perimeter and height. In lessons, we will deepen our understanding through problem solving. Within Maths, we will also be practising our mental maths skills and times tables.

# Class 2 Mrs Morgan-Lewis, Mrs Garland, Mrs Lane, Mrs Beasley, Miss Molloy

In French we will be completing the topic 'Time'. This will include counting, days of the week, months and birthdays.

#### PSHE

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We will be looking at 'What jobs do people do?' in PSHE with Miss Molloy. There will be lots of discussions and thinking about different jobs and the roles and responsibilities within them.

# Art

In Art, we will be learning about fine drawing and looking at the artwork of Adonna Kahre.

### Music

We will be focusing on pentatonic melodies and compositions. In this topic we will introduce and explore the terms crescendo, pentatonic and notation.

# Geography

This terms topic in Geography is 'Italy'. We will look at locating Italy and other European countries on a map, discover the physical features of the country, learn about Italian cities and landmarks, and compare Italy and Rome with England and London.





# Computing

We use Purple Mash for our Computing curriculum, and this half term are learning all about coding. We use the iPads in our Computing sessions and will use a programme called 'Scratch' to apply their knowledge.

#### RE

The question we will look at in our RE lessons is 'Who is a Muslim and how do they live?'. We will look at stories from the Qur'an and some of the key aspects of the Islamic religion such as the 'Shahadah' and 'Salah'.

#### Science

Our new topic in Science is 'Forces and Magnets'. We will be looking at push and pull forces, discovering the role of non-contact forces like gravity, investigate friction and learn about how magnets attract and repel. We will also be designing and conducting experiments and investigations, observing over time, and collecting and displaying data.