

On Your Doorstep



Year 1/2
Spring Term



Religious Education:
Is it important to celebrate
New Year?
Is Easter important for the
church?

Physical Education:
As sports women and sports men we will be developing our gymnastics skills by practising various balances and jumps as well as improving our bowling, striking and fielding skills during outdoor PE sessions.

Key areas of learning:

As **Scientists** we will be exploring habitats and identify that most living things live in habitats to which they are suited. We will describe how different habitats provide for the basic needs of different kinds of animals and plants, and how they depend on each other. We will also have a look into the changing world around us.

As **Design Technologists** we will be creating a model of a village or a school. Lot's of concentration and creativity will be needed for this exciting challenge!

As **Artists** we will be exploring the use of photography. By using technology, we can make unique pieces of art, such as drawing, painting and sculpture. This is a great way for us to record our own experiences.

As **Geographers** we will be studying our own location – Tackley! We will use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of our school and its grounds and the key human and physical features of our surrounding environment.

English:

As writers we will be looking at a range of genres such as persuasive texts, letters, recounts and discussion texts. In grammar we will be learning about different sentence types and where it is appropriate to use a statement, command, question or exclamation as well as appropriate punctuation. We will also be looking at prefixes and suffixes.

Maths

In maths we will be focusing on an array of mathematical areas including; number and place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, measurement (mass), statistics and fractions.

Music:

Animals: We will develop and understanding of pitch through using movement, voices and instruments.
Our Land: We will develop our performance skills and learn British songs.

French:

As linguists, we will learn how to say words and phrases to do with town, transport and jobs in French as well as recapping our previous topics of the numbers and days of the week.

Computing:

In computing this term we will begin by working as programmers. We will learn about how computers use algorithms and programming. We will have a go at programming beebots, and learn how to de-bug our programs.

PSHE:

During our PSHE session we shall cover a range of themes including

- Praise and criticism
- Personal power
- Choices and consequences
- Anger and how to deal with it
- Celebrating differences

British Values:

The British value we will be
exploring is:
Mutual respect

SMSC:

Throughout a range of subjects during this topic we shall be developing as thinkers, answering questions and solving moral dilemmas.

Enrichment:

We will go on a walk around the village to improve our fieldwork skills!