

English

As writers we are developing our skills through a range of exciting writing opportunities linked to our class texts and topics. We will explore Charlie and the Chocolate Factory and create engaging pieces inspired by our learning. In science, we will write a factual and creative report explaining electricity to other children, using accurate information and clear organisation. We will then write a thrilling Mayan adventure narrative, focusing on description, character development and plot.

DT / History

As designers and historians, we are using our science knowledge of electrical circuits to design and make our own alarms in Design and Technology. We are also beginning our exciting Mayan history topic, where we will learn about the achievements, culture and daily life of the ancient Maya civilisation and explore how they lived.

RE

We will explore **Christian beliefs** about what truly matters: loving God, caring for others, , and living out values such as **kindness**.



What are we learning

about this half term?

Computing

We are using Purple Mash to create engaging digital presentations, developing our skills in organising information and presenting ideas clearly. We will also learn about different types of technology by exploring hardware and software, understanding their purposes and how they work together

PE

As athletes, we are developing netball skills, teamwork, coordination and ball control through exciting games.

Maths



This half term, we will deepen our understanding of **place value**, working confidently with numbers up to six digits. We will read, write and compare numbers, partition them in different ways, and use number lines to understand size.

We will apply these skills to a range of problems, explaining reasoning clearly and choosing the most efficient method.

Science

As mathematicians, we are learning how to calculate area, strengthen our multiplication and division skills, and solve problems using efficient methods. We will also explore length and perimeter, measuring accurately and finding the distance around shapes.

Art / Music

As musicians, we are exploring pop music, listening carefully to different songs and developing our singing.