

## Art

The children will learn about the artist Yayoi Kusama. We will be using clay to create a pumpkin sculpture and then using paint to recreate a painting in the style of Kusama's pumpkins.



## History

We will be exploring the topic of 'Communication – then and now'. We will be finding out about the inventions of Alexander Graham Bell and Tim Berners Lee. We will order the major events of communication chronologically on a timeline.

## R.E

We be exploring the unit Who is a Christian and What do they believe? We will have a visit from our local vicar.

## Science

The children will be learning about habitats. We will be Identifying and naming a variety of plants and animals in their habitats, including micro- habitats.



## Music

We will be exploring the musicianship skills of pulse and rhythm and expressively singing songs for our Christmas show.



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## Computing

The children will be continuing to learn about how to keep themselves safe online.



## Maths

We will be focusing on multiplication and division of 2,5 and 10. We will be exploring length including centimeters, meters and how to use them in real life maths.

**We update Active Learn regularly with fun games to consolidate learning in class for you to support your child at home. Paper copied homework will be sent out weekly.**



## PSHE and Wellbeing

In PSHE, our focus is Valuing difference. This includes helping others, listening skills and why it is important to listen to others point of view.

We will continue with our wellbeing activities such as yoga, meditation, circle time and mindfulness art.



## English

This half term we will be using the story The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark by Jill Tomlinson. We will write for different purposes and audiences and make simple additions, revisions and corrections to our writing. We will continue to use adjectives, conjunctions, expanded noun phrases, adverbs and correct punctuation to make our writing more interesting. Also we will look at some poetry based around The Owl and the Pussycat.

**Our spelling quiz will continue to be every Friday. Book bags should be returned to school every Friday. New reading books will go out every Monday.**

**P.E - Our P.E sessions will continue to be on Tuesdays. Please ensure your child comes to school dressed in plain dark coloured joggers/ leggings, a plain white t-shirt/ polo-shirt, school jumper/cardigan and trainers.** This half term the children will be taking part in Gymnastics. We will move our bodies in different ways including stretching, arching and curling to form a sequence.