

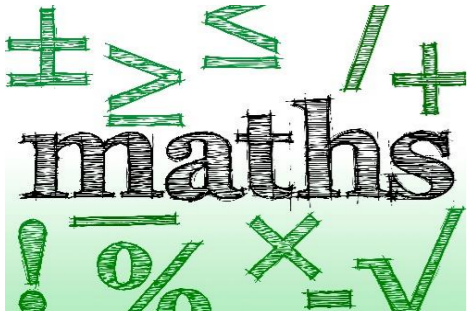




Subject Area	Learning Focus	Useful links (All links are external so please check them carefully before sharing with children 😊)
<p>Writing</p> 	<p>WRITING TO ENTERTAIN: Drawing upon all that we've already read about Jeff Brown's 'Flat Stanley', we'll be writing a new adventure story about Stanley.</p> <p>WRITING TO INFORM: This half-term, we'll be learning all about the ill-fated maiden voyage of 'The Titanic' and writing a non-chronological report.</p>	<p>https://www.onceuponapicture.co.uk/</p>
<p>Reading</p> 	<p>PHONICS: This half-term, we'll be embarking upon Little Wandle's NEW Year 2 Spelling scheme of learning!</p> <p>PROSODY: We'll be practising and improving our fluency and expression when reading aloud.</p> <p>VIPERS: We'll be exploring and learning key comprehension skills via a variety of texts.</p> <p>COMPREHENSION: We'll be exploring a range of texts and applying our rapidly-developing comprehension skills to better understand them.</p> <p>MODELLED READERS:</p>	
<p>Maths</p> 	<p>NUMBER & PLACE VALUE: We'll be revisiting 10s and units (1s) and applying our understanding to addition and subtraction</p> <p>GEOMETRY: We'll be investigating the properties of both 2D and 3D shapes: how many faces? sides/edges?</p>	

	<p>vertices/corners? and exploring position and direction!</p> <p>TIMES TABLES: We'll be practising our 10 X, 2 X and 5 X tables to help us remember multiplication and division facts.</p>	
<p>Science</p> 	<p>LIVING THINGS & THEIR HABITATS: This half-term we'll be investigating the requirements and suitability of habitats for a variety of living things. We already know that all living things need AIR, FOOD, WATER and SHELTER for survival. This half-term we'll be learning about how living things can best achieve this.</p>	
<p>RE</p> 	<p>THE MIRACLES & PARABLES OF JESUS: What is a miracle? What is a parable? At the end of this half-term, we'll be able to tell you!</p> <p>MULTI-FAITH WEEK: We will be learning about the faith of the Islam community. We will investigate their beliefs, who they worship to and where they pray. This unit will also include a visit to The Birmingham Central Mosque (details to follow).</p> <p>LENT:</p> <p>HOLY WEEK:</p>	
<p>History</p>	<p>WHY PEOPLE MAKE JOURNEYS: This half-term we'll be learning all about the ill-fated maiden voyage of 'The Titanic' and writing a non-chronological report.</p>	<p>Lego 'stop-motion' Titanic: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WyqeTJJAY5E&t=344s Modern day Titanic: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yheC08MUuBI</p>



Music



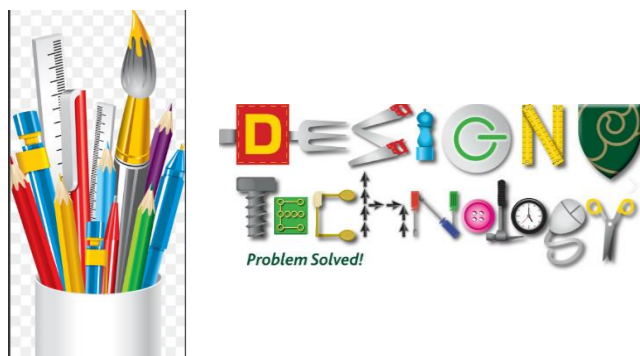
SINGING: This half-term, we will be learning about 'folk songs'.

We intend to capitalise upon this learning by introducing the children to Nursery Rhymes they may not already know.

<https://music.getset4education.co.uk/ResourceBank/ResourceCategory/1084>

Oranges & Lemons: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_J93AAYMU4c
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4bc63sqKYZ4>

ART/D&T



THE TEXTURE OF NATURE: This half-term, we will be continuing our investigations into texture. We will be undertaking a 'texture walk' in our Forest School area and taking many photographs of different textures. We all hope to become greatly inspired by these photos to create drawings from selected images using chalks and pastels. We have already recreated some art using only primary colours, in the style of Piet Mondrian.

D&T: Cooking & Nutrition: A Balanced Diet: This unit will afford us the opportunity to revisit our learning about the importance of eating foods from a variety of different food groups, thus enjoying a balanced diet. We will investigate 'hidden' sugars in foods and drinks before taste-testing different food combinations and making and evaluating a healthy wrap.

PE



GYMNASTICS: This half-term, we will be learning how to use our bodies to create gymnastic shapes and link them together to perform a sequence of balances, movements and actions.

<https://pe.getset4education.co.uk/resourcebank/viewresourcefile?id=25865>

<https://pe.getset4education.co.uk/ResourceBank/ResourceCategory/1002>

Computing



STOP MOTION ANIMATION: This half-term, we will be exploring how to create our own animated recordings using 'Stop Motion' technology. We will create a flip book animation before applying small changes to a tableau to plan and create our own 'Stop Motion' animated story / recount.

Lego 'stop-motion' Titanic:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WyqeTJJAY5E&t=344s>

Modern day Titanic: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yheC08MUuBI>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wEp3KprCkuk>

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