



Lower School - Autumn Term II 2020

English, Language and Communication

- We will read a variety of poems around colour and explore online resources before writing our own poems. This will help develop vocabulary and our understanding of imagery and descriptive text.
- We will have a visit from Theatre Alibi, who are performing a COVID-friendly called Down To Earth - about an astronaut called Janet.

Mathematics, Science and DT

- In our maths we will be improving our counting and number skills to help us calculate. We will learn about telling the time and about different shapes.
- Extreme weather
- Students think about the weather, learn how to present data and make their own weather forecast to present to the class.

Personal Development and Digital Literacy

- In PE, students will continue to work on their core skills and develop them into game situations.
- In ICT we will focus on Digital Literacy.
- In PSHE we are developing understanding of staying safe with road safety, online safety and stranger safety.

Opportunities to Learn About the World Around

- Celebrations: We will focus on Christmas and Diwali, hopefully including a visit to the local church.
- Map work. Colours, symbols and keys.

World of Work and Independent Living

- In food studies we will continue to explore our likes and dislikes as well as basic cooking skills: spreading and cutting.

Engagement in the Arts

- In Music we will learn a Christmas song by Joanna Mangona and Jane Sebba: Ho Ho Ho.
- In Art, we shall be identifying and mixing primary and secondary colours. We will be working in the style of Mark Rothko, Jackson Pollock and Kandinsky.

Real Life Contexts

- Our topic this half term is... COLOURS!
- We will celebrate Children in Need day.
- We will be doing lots of learning outside!