This Half Term's Learning

MATHS:

We are doing subtraction and addition to 20. This will include using taught strategies such as counting on, part whole models and using known number facts.

We will also move onto multiplication and division, recapping the times tables taught so far and working with arrays to look at "groups of".

KEY INSTANT RECALL FACT

Number bonds to 20, some of the children will be continuing to practice the KIRF from last term, odd and even numbers.

ENGLISH:

Week 1 - Handwriting focus and Year 1 common exception spelling words.

RELIGION:

Holy Days and Holidays - Do we need holidays and Holy Days?

Being Sorry - Why should we be sorry?

SCIENCE:

Animals including humans:

Looking at what we need to be healthy, habitats for animals and life cycles.

Week 2 - Diary entry by the Big Bad Wolf, focusing on using "and" to join words and clauses.

Week 3 - Life Cycle of a caterpillar using a variety of time adverbials.

Week 4 - Jack and the Bean Stalk - character description of the giant.

Week 5 - Creative Write - Children to write their own story.

Week 6 - British Values focus

WIDER CURRICULUM:

History - History of space travel. **Music** - Topic called "The King is in his castle - Using out voices and changing the pitch during singing" **PE** - Athletics **Computing** - Internet safety and spreadsheets.

SPELLINGS:

Week 1 - Retrieval Week

Week 2 - Long vowel sound /i/ spelt igh, ie and i-e

Week 3 - Long vowel /o/ sound spelt oe, o-e, oa and

OW

Week 4 - Long vowel /u/ and /oo/ sound spelt ue, u-e, oo and ew

Week 5 - /ar/ spelt ar

Week 6 - /er/ spelt ir, er and ur

<u>OUR CLASS READ:</u>

We read a book every day, these are a mixture of fiction, non fiction and poetry. These include: How to catch a star , The Naughty Bus , The Queen's hat , Monstersaurus , Winnie the Witch ,Six Dinner Sid.