

Each half term we will send a newsletter detailing what we will be covering in the curriculum and any other important information. If you would like further details, please speak to your child's class teacher.

Music

This term, the pupils will be listening to a range of jazz music and learning about swing music from the 1940s.

PE

Children need to come into school wearing their school PE kit on a Wednesday. We will be doing body management and invasion games.

Computing

We will use Purple Mash to look at Quizzing and e-safety around finding balance in a digital world.

French

During this half term the children will be learning more about school life in France and school subjects.

Maths

This half term, we will be covering work on number and place value to 10 million and calculations involving the four operations on whole numbers.

Important Dates

Newby Wiske Residential 25th-27th September
October Half Term: Friday October 25th
SATs: Monday 12th May - Thursday 15th May
- please do not book a holiday during these dates.

Please read the weekly newsletter for updates!



Jigsaw

Being Me in My World is our Jigsaw theme this half term. We will be looking how to celebrate our own uniqueness as well as being supportive of others.

Religious Education

Our topic this term is 'Justice and Freedom: Is it fair?' We will explore perspectives from Christianity, Islam and Judaism and look at influential people throughout history.

Topic (Geography)

Our topic this half term is Earthquakes and Volcanoes. We will be looking at how each of these happen and the impact it has on the world.

Science

We will be learning about Living Things and Their Habitats in our 'Nature Library' topic. We will look at the Five Kingdoms and the work of key scientists including Carl Linnaeus and Marjorie Stoneman Douglas.

English

Our class novel this half-term is called 'The Nowhere Emporium' by Ross Mackenzie, an amazing book about a mysterious shop full of magical wonders. Writing work will be linked to this book: narrative, recount and explanation. Reading will be taught using Oliver Twist and a variety of other texts and comprehensions.

Art

We will be looking at how different artists use photography in art and the various techniques that can be created using photographs as part of a piece of artwork.

Children are expected to read at home at least 3 times a week for 15 minutes and they may also access Reading Plus as part of this. Reading is a crucial part of the children's learning and readiness for secondary school. Children will be given optional work to complete at home, which they will receive Class Dojos for. They can hand this in at any time, there will be no deadline for submission.