

P.E:

Tag rugby: Children will work with partnership to develop game play skills.

Fitness: Children will develop their fitness through workouts which will enhance their cardio fitness, muscular strength, stamina and flexibility.

PSHCE:

Safety Contexts: The children will reflect on their understanding of keeping safe. They will consider and develop their knowledge of keeping themselves safe whilst cycling on the roads (*linked to Bikeability*), playing in the sun, understanding the dangers of electricity and how they can take more responsibility to reduce risk or accidents.

Maths:

This term children will:

- Develop their understanding of fractions, percentages, decimals and problem solving using these.
- Using their understanding of place value to practise converting between units of measure.
- Practicing to calculate area of regular and compound shapes.

FAIRGROUNDS AND FAIRY-TALES

In this creative topic, children will focus on preparing their own fairy-tales in their literacy and fairground rides in their DT and Science lessons, whilst use their understanding of safety from PHSCE in order to create a safe ride. Children will end the topic presenting their rides to Year 2 for their important input towards the evaluation of the topic.

If you have any expertise on areas of the topic we are covering this half term and would be interested in coming in and sharing, please let us know.

Rapunzel Trip 05 Dec = Christmas Concerts 11 & 12 Dec

Computing:

This term we will be practising our programming and coding skills using Purple Mash.

R.E:

We will question "Who do people say I am?" - looking at different depictions and accounts of Jesus.

DT:

This term we will be looking how different mechanisms in fairground rides work, particularly exploring the use of a motor and belt mechanism. The children will then design and make their own fairground rides.

Literacy:

Reading: This term the children will be developing their summarising, predicting and clarifying skills within their reading comprehension lessons.

Writing: Children will initially focus on writing narratives, which will include writing a fairy-tale and a story with a twist. We will then move onto writing News reports, spells, a review of our pantomime trip and evaluation out own DT carousel creations.

Grammar: We will be practising a range of grammar rules that link with our writing this term.

Spelling: continuing to practise common spellings and learning new spelling patterns.

Handwriting: continuing to develop a neat, fluent and joined style.

French:

Learning vocabulary and conversational skills relating to Travel and using the phrase "je voudrais" ("I would like").

Music:

We'll be practising for our Christmas Concert and looking at a selection of songs. Children will learn about different forms of notation and begin to play tuned instruments.

Science:

Linked with our DT lessons, children will be identifying what gravity and air resistance are and investigating their effect on objects. This will in turn tie into the DT scheme of work when designing and making a fair ground carousel. The children will also investigate electricity and use their understanding to make their carousel move using motors.

