

Maths

- Read and write numbers 1 to 50.
- Add and subtract within 20.
- Continue to build fluency with addition and subtraction within 10.
- Begin to understand length and height.
- Begin to understand mass and capacity.

Science, Computing and DT

- Identify different plants (including some flowers and trees) and their features.
- Explore materials and their properties.
- Understand seasonal change, particularly winter to spring.
- Log into Purple Mash accounts.
- Use computers to make simple animated books.
- Develop an understanding of how to stay safe online.
- Explore how different mechanisms work.
- Design and make our own mini swing sets.

RHE

- Know how and why to eat healthily.
- Learn how to build respectful relationships with others.
- Know how to care for our friends.
- Build on our knowledge of how to keep ourselves safe.

Art and Music

- Explore how colour is used in art, with a focus on Wassily Kandinsky.
- Explore how line and shape are used in abstract art and use this to inspire our own creations.
- Use a range of percussion instruments and learn how to play them musically.
- Explore different forms of notation and use it to perform.
- Learn a range of songs and perform to an audience.

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Visits

- An in-school owl encounter.
- Canal and river walks.
- Visits to local churches.

English

- Enjoy a range of high-quality children's literature, including: The Owl Who Was Afraid of the Dark, Owl Babies, Dogger, Paddington and Look Up!
- Learn and recite The Owl and The Pussycat.
- Use our imaginations and plans to compose sentences and write our own simple stories.
- Write sentences using correct capital letters, finger spaces and full stops or question marks.
- Use our developing phonics knowledge (Phase 5) to help with writing.
- Use accurate letter formation.
- Increase our fluency when reading.

History, Geography and RE

- Learn how music and the way in which people listen to it has changed over time.
- Learn about the town of Middlewich and what we can find in it.
- Learn about the countries within the UK.
- Understand the Christian community and how Christians worship.
- Know some of the internal and external features of a church.

PE

- Perform a dribble and shot, using small goals.
- Learn and perform a paired dance.