English

This half term we will be developing our passion and stamina for writing by:

- Reading and re-writing stories from The Paddington Bear Series (linked to our London topic)
- Writing instructions including –ly adverbs
- Composing and performing poetry themed around Harvest Time.

Spellings will need to be handed in on Thursdays.

<u>Class Texts:</u> We will be reading 'Classic stories' such as Hansel and Gretel and Aladdin.

<u>Reading:</u> Books will be changed on Mondays and Fridays

Please record what your child has read in the home reading record.

ART

Explore & Draw

Introducing the idea that artists can be collectors & explorers as they develop drawing and composition skills.

RE:

Community: How should we care for the world and others?

Music:

Hands, Feet, Heart : South African Music

<u>Computing:</u> Computing Systems and Networks. We will be looking at IT around us and creating invitations from King Charles.

PΕ

During P.E this term we will begin to develop our balance and performance skills in gymnastics. Our PE will be on Tuesdays and Fridays so please remember to send children in PE kits.

Geography

What did Paddington see when he explored London?

During this topic we will be learning all about the four countries in The United Kingdom and our capital city – London. We will name and explore famous landmarks such as The London Eye. We will use simple compass points to locate places on a map.

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PSHE:

Friendships

We will be learning about the special people in our lives and how we can navigate our friendships. During our PSHE lessons, we will explore ways in which we can resolve conflicts and be a 'good friend'.

Maths

Place Value

During our Place Value topic, we will learn read, represent and partition numbers using a range of recourses. We will use equipment such as Numicon and Base 10 to represent the Tens and Ones in a number.

Addition and Subtraction

During this topic, we will developing our calculating skills taught in Year 1 to add and subtract numbers to 100. We will use a variety of methods such as Number lines to support our calculations.

KIRFS

We will be practising our Number bonds to 20.

Science

Animals need for survival

We will be exploring everything animals and humans needs to survive and how we do this in everyday life. We will be focusing this term, specifically, on amphibians and fish and how their needs differ to ours.