## **English**

Through these texts, we will be learning how to effectively write for a range of audience and purpose.





#### Science

Building Things – Children will build on their learning from last half term. They will continue to investigate the properties of materials and conduct a range of experiments to test out the durability of a range of materials, e.g. will a material withstand strong wind?

#### R.E

Easter Surprise - Children will learn the story of Palm Sunday and the journey Jesus took before he died, before covering the story of Jesus' resurrection.

## **Phonics**

Children have 20 minutes of phonics everyday followed by a 20 minute guided reading session where they apply their new phonetic knowledge directly to a Read, Write, Inc. text.

### PSHE

<u>Healthy Me</u> – children will learn about motivation and relaxation strategies. They will explore eating and nutrition and healthier snacks.

### Music

Friendship Song – children will listen to songs about friendship.

They will develop their improvisation, musicality and sing the song.



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# <u>P.E</u>

<u>Brilliant Ball Skills – Children will use hand-eye co-ordination to control</u>
a ball and move a ball using hands and feet.

**Gym fit Circuits** - children will master basic movements, as well as developing balance, agility and co-ordination. They will then perform using simple movement patterns.

# Computing

<u>Coding</u> – children will understand what an algorithm is and how to create a computer program using an algorithm. They will learn how to create a program using a given design.

### Maths

Children will recognise 3D shapes and their properties, classifying them using their faces, vertices and edges. They will group shapes according to their properties and to make and recognise patterns. With fractions, children will learn to make equal parts from a whole using simple and complex methods. They will also show and recognise halves and quarters. Children will then begin to find fractions of whole numbers.

## Geography

Our World (South Africa) – children will explore the continents and how the world is divided. They will explore how temperatures differ around the world and how cold areas are similar and how they differ. Children will then explore the country South Africa in more detail.

## Art and Design

Textiles - children will study the female designer, Laura Ashley. They will develop the skill of stitching and printing before designing and making their own piece.