

Year Two - Term Two

Florence Nightingale

Animals Including Humans

Mathematics

We will be continuing the topic of Addition and Subtraction. We will be specifically looking at adding and subtracting 10 and comparing addition and subtraction number sentences. The children will also learn how to solve missing number problems using a variety of strategies such as the written method or mental methods. The children will also learn by using a range of resources to help them to confidently understand, the resources used will be counters, dienes and tens and ones counters.

Science

This term the children will be focusing on healthy bodies. This involves looking at what they eat, exercise and also hygiene. We will look at how often they wash their hands and the best way to do this to stop germs spreading. We will draw our own healthy lunchboxes in class and decide on food that is for 'anytime' or 'sometime.'

PE

The children will be focusing on gymnastics. They will be further developing their co-ordination and looking at what parts of their body they can use to balance with. They will be performing sequences of movements that will show a contrast of levels, balances and different ways to travel.

Computing

The children will be learning about programming this term. The children will be using floor robots to help support their learning. The children will learn to give instructions, make predictions and create their own mats and plan routes for their floor robots.

History

We will be finishing off our Great Fire of London topic by learning about the plague. Then we will be looking at 'changes,' with a focus on history and important people through time. Our lessons will look at Remembrance Sunday and why we wear poppies, Guy Fawkes and his impact on 5th November.

English

This term our English learning will be focused on Florence Nightingale. The children will first be learning about the Crimean War and who was involved in this. After that the children will learn about what Florence Nightingale did by using the text 'Florence Nightingale and the Adventures of Vlad' by Kate Cunningham. We will be learning about expanded noun phrases, co-ordinating conjunctions and learning facts to write a non-chronological report all about Florence Nightingale.

RE

This term the children are learning about the story of Jesus's birth. We will discuss how Christians learn about Jesus's life through the Bible. We will also think about what we can be thankful for at Christmas.

Italian

Children will learn to name different parts of the body; family members and names of some common animals, in addition to some Christmas activities.