

## English

In English, we will start the term by looking at Goldilocks and the Three Bears followed by writing a letter of apology from Goldilocks to the Three Bears. We will then look at *We're Going On A Bear Hunt*. In Poetry, we will be looking at Bear poems, including a poem about the Three Bears. When writing we will be focusing on using 'and' as well as ? and ! We will be looking at the different graphemes used to spell the same phonemes and deciding which is correct.

## Mathematics

In the Summer term, the children will revise their understanding of number and place value and recall calculation strategies to solve mathematical problems. We will also be learning to tell the time to the nearest hour and half hour. Our focus will also be on measuring length and weight. The children will continue to consolidate new concepts and knowledge through games and problem solving.

## Science

In Science, we will continue to work scientifically through the use of experiments related to our topic Bears. We will also be learning about Animals, including humans in regard to where different bears live and why as well as looking at plant later in the term. The children will learn the different parts of the plant as well as understanding what they need to grow.

## Art and Design

During the first half of the term, the children will be creating their own bear and teddy bear picnic pictures. They will also learn how to show expression in pictures as well as how to roll, cut and coil materials. We will also be using ICT to create pieces of art. We will also explore Aboriginal art.

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## Computing

Pupils will be taught how to record and sound and play it, store digital content and receive it. We will also explore using a website and will look at using Bee Bots to programme. The children will continue to use laptops and I pads across the curriculum. We will use the Scratch Junior to allow the children to consolidate skills taught last term.

## Physical Education

With Mr Francis this term the children will be learning a range of ball skills which will include throwing and catching accurately.

## Religious Education

Our focus this term in R.E is Caring for others and the world. We will also look at biblical stories and discuss what this tells us about Jesus.

## Forest Schools

Children will be taking part in weekly Forest School sessions where they will continue to develop their tool use, play a range of games within our woodland setting as well as creating sculptures and pieces of art based on their own interests. The children will have the opportunity to plan what they would like to do

## Geography/History

This term, the children will discover all about the history of teddy bears. The children will be able to recognise old and new teddies and use historical vocabulary to describe these. We will learn about the different types of bears and where they live in the world. The children will also explore the country Australia as part of Barnaby Bear's holiday to the country. The children will create postcards and information texts based on Australia.

## Music

In music we will continue to listen to pieces of music identifying the instruments. We will make our own music based on *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*. We will also perform pieces of music using our percussion instruments.

## How you can help at home

- . Regular reading and talking about the books they bring home to read.
- . Playing games that involve counting and talking about the numbers they see.
- . Learn any spellings in their individual diaries.
- . Discuss any sounds they are learning and if they can spot them in words they might hear or see around them.