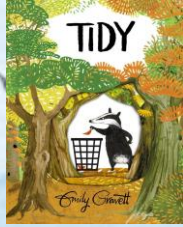


English

We will start the term looking at a the book called 'Tidy' by Emily Gravett. We will be learning to write about real events and write for a range of different purposes.

Over the summer term, we will begin learning about re-reading our work and making simple edits to make improvements.



Phonics

We will continue to follow the Monster Phonics programme to reinforce our knowledge of all phonemes and graphemes. We will focus predominantly on spelling rules and introduce a range of grammatical terminology.



Maths

In Maths this half term we will be continuing our work on measure; looking into weight and temperature. We will then start our learning on fractions. We will be finding halves and quarters of numbers and shapes.

We will then move on to telling the time. We will mostly focus on analogue clocks, telling the o'clock, half past, quarter past and quarter to times. As part of this we will also look at duration and estimating time.

Every Maths lesson includes a fluency session which supports the children with their mental recall and calculation, including counting.



Understanding Arts and Culture

Art: In Art we will be completing a drawing project. We will look at developing a wide range of art and design techniques, using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space. We will focus on our fine motor skills and take inspiration from *The Starry Night*.



Understanding our Health and Well-Being

PSHE:

This half term we will focus on friendships and relationships. The children will learn about bullying, including how to recognise it and how to respond, as well as exploring body language and how it can show how someone is feeling. They will also learn about Petty Anderson and how individuals can make positive choices.

PE:

This half term we will focus on invasion games and team building. The children will develop skills such as passing, movement and working collaboratively as part of a team.

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Understanding the World

Geography: In Geography this half term we will be focusing on maps and how to read them. We will talk about birds eye view before moving on to reading maps of familiar setting and having a go at making our own.

RE: We will be looking at the idea of human responsibility and values within communities. We will make links to charity and think about ways we can help others.

Understanding Science and Technology

Science: In Science we will be learning about plants before moving on to living things and life cycles. We will learn about lots of different life cycles including our own. We will finish the topic by comparing similarities and differences between the different life cycles.





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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome to the Summer Term! We hope you have had a restful break over Easter and are excited to be back. Please find overleaf details about what your child will be learning in class over this half-term.

Weekly homework will continue to be set in homework books. Spellings will continue to be set in the Monster Phonics books.

We would encourage you to please spend some time at home each day reading together with your child as it really does make such an enormous difference to their ability to read with fluency, confidence and understanding; reading records should be in book bags daily.

Your child will be reading frequently within a Guided Reading Session with the adults in school.

Children will need their PE kit in school every day as our sessions may move around week by week subject to unpredictable weather!

Thank you,

Kind regards,

Miss McConnell, Miss Fisher, Miss Bass & Mr Griffin

