

English

Pupils will be joining in with group writing and reading. Pupils will listen to and retell simple stories. They will explore characters and settings.

Pupils will learn about fiction and non-fiction and with support use non-fiction books to write simple facts.

When writing pupils will learn how to use capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. They will also develop and practise their phonic knowledge daily to help them with their reading and spelling.

Phonics

Pupils will work through the Phonics International programme, they will be introduced to 2 new sounds each week and be guided through activities to develop their blending and segmenting skills.

Computing

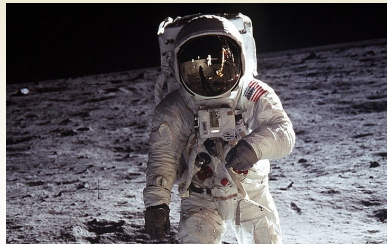
Pupils will be taught how to log onto their school laptops. They will also be introduced to coding skills and learn about internet safety.

Maths

Pupils will learn place value, looking at numbers to 20 and then begin to solve simple addition and subtraction number problems

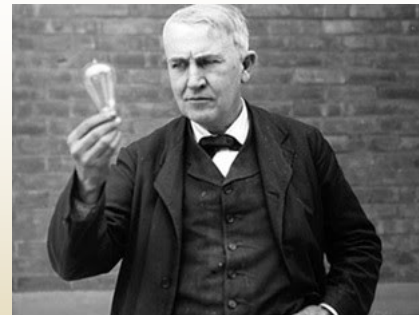
Pupils will develop their vocabulary around time, including learning days of the week in order and using the terms yesterday, today and tomorrow.

Pupils will be learning to create tally charts and use the data to design a pictogram



Adventurers, Explorers and Inventors

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PSHE/SMSC/RSE

In PSHE, pupils will be learning to identify, name and label a range of emotions

In RSE pupils will be learning the characteristics of friendships, including mutual respect, truthfulness, trustworthiness, loyalty, kindness, generosity, trust, sharing interests and experiences and support with problems and difficulties

Topic

In Art pupils will be using a range of materials to design and make a lighthouse

In History pupils will learn about the lives and achievements of Steve Fossett, Thomas Edison and Neil Armstrong

In Geography pupils will be looking at maps, atlases and globes to identify the seven continents of the world. They will also study the human and physical features of the school and local area.



Science

In Science pupils will be investigating and describing the simple physical properties of a range of everyday materials

They will also undertake simple experiments that explore freezing and melting temperatures, floating and sinking.

PE

Pupils will be taking part in weekly Team Sport sessions and Skip 2B Fit carousel activities

Pupils will also be learning how to participate in team games and develop their football skills.