

## PE

This half term we will be playing invasion games and racket games like tennis, hockey and cricket. We will use all our skills developed throughout the year to play team games.

## RE

- Understand the value of creation stories to Christians and Hindus

Children will be respectfully discussing the different stories of creation from the Christian and Hindu perspective. They will hear and see different portrayals and evaluate the importance of these to each of the faiths. Discuss with your child what they believe and how they think the Earth was created.

## Maths

- Place value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Multiplication and division
- Measurement

We will be using the mathematical functions in problem solving and identifying the most effective strategies to find the answer. Children have been taught different methods including numberline, splitting number bonds, place value, drawings to solve problems. We will be telling the time to 5 minute intervals. Encourage your child to tell the time as frequently as possible to consolidate this skill.

## DT and Art

- Design purposeful, functional, appealing products for other users based on design criteria.
- Generate, develop, model and communicate their ideas through talking, drawing, templates and mock-ups
- Explore and evaluate a range of existing products.
- Evaluate their ideas and products against design criteria.
- to use painting to develop ideas and imagination
- to develop a range of art techniques in using colour

We will be sampling and making our own sweets inspired by Charlie and the Chocolate factory. We will also be preparing dishes to share. Practise food hygiene, chopping, measuring and of course tasting food at home!

## Geography

- To know the continents and oceans of the world

Children will play lots of games to recite the oceans and continents of the world. We will use atlases and maps. Ask your child to name the different oceans and continents. How many can they name in 1 minute?

# Charlie AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY

## Computing

- To use technology safely and respectfully.

Children will be exploring the characters and stories within Hector's World to understand how to navigate online safely.

Can your child tell you the SMART rules to online safety?

## Music

- Use voices creatively by singing songs.

We will learn songs in preparation for our end of year show. Can your child sing some of the songs for you?

## PSHE

We will be developing skills to help us in looking forward including reflecting on achievements and setting new goals.

## Science

- Observe and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants.

In science we will be further studying what plants need to grow. We will be conducting experiments and learning to record the data and present it in graph form. What plants can you find when you're out and about? What do they need to grow? Why are some more successful than others?

## English

- Handwriting
- Spelling contractions, words with suffixes, homophones and common exception words
- To use punctuation ( \_ ! ? ' ) accurately
- To read fluently, make inferences, answer questions and compare texts

In addition to daily spelling and reading practise, children will be listening to and reading Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. We will be writing a letter, diary entries, a recount and a newspaper report. Ask your child what has happened so far in the story and what new vocabulary they have learnt.

