

## English

This half term we will be focussing on chiller stories, including Graveyard and an adaptation of Alma. The children will write instruction text based on Holes. Children will be writing their own chiller narrative. We will also be focussing on a range of grammar and punctuation skills to prepare for the upcoming SATs tests.

## Science

This half term our focus is on light. We will be investigating light sources. As well as how light travels and how the eye can see. We work with mirrors and investigate reflecting and refracting light, planning an investigation and noting findings.

## PSHE

This half term we will be explaining why it is good to be me, identifying gender and family stereotypes, understand how to respond to and report negative attitudes and prejudice, explore negative, prejudiced and other attitudes towards stereotyping and to recognise terms that are derogative.

## RE

This half term we will be focussing on Hinduism. The children will be learning about reincarnation and sacred places. Last term we also looked at Hinduism and the children will be building on their knowledge.

## History

This half term we will introduce the broad trends of crime and punishment from the Romans to the 21st century, including the Anglo-Saxons, Vikings, Medieval, Tudors, Victorians and modern day times.

## French

This half term we will introduce the topic of 'Healthy Living'. The children will be learning about exercise and diet for a healthy lifestyle in French.

## PE

In the first half term, we will be swimming and the children will also be completing Circuit training session.

## Music

This half we will be focussing on using instruments to accompany various pieces of music before composing our own.

## Reading

This half term we will continue our love of reading and developing our strategies by listening and discussing books: DK Encyclopaedia, Kind Henry IV, Survivors, The Lost magician and Holes.

## Maths

This half term we will be focussing on continuing to develop our Arithmetic knowledge. The children will also be investigation 2D shapes and angles. The children will use all 4 calculations to solve words problems.

## Computing

This half term we will be focusing on INetwork. In this unit, we will be looking at how networks are used for the internet. We will investigate how to search effectively and how HTMLs are set up for websites. This unit culminates in the children creating a web page.

## DT

This half term we will be focussed on our Food and nutrition topic. We are going to be focussed on identifying elements of the ingredients, such as fats/salts/ carbohydrates etc. The unit will end with the children making burgers from different ingredients

