

DYNAMICS

Bounce!

Year 1/2
Term 6

Throw it, catch it, roll it, bounce it, up and down and side to side. Can you catch the bouncing ball? Can you bounce too? Jump like a horse, leap like a frog or kick like a kangaroo. How many bounces can you do? Design a game, bouncy or otherwise. Then write instructions for someone else to play. Are the instructions clear enough? Can the players follow them? Who will score the highest? Then let's take part in a Sporting Challenge Day. Can they hit it, roll it, win it? Now let's relax. Breathe deeply and stretch those tired muscles. All that bouncing must have made you tired.

Our project of 'Bounce' this half term is a P.E based topic driven by Science. We will be inspired by sporting icons, get creative with a range of artistic techniques and learn how to look after ourselves by exploring a healthy diet and how our bodies work.





English

In English this term we are going to be studying instruction writing. We will also be using our imaginative ideas for in narratives.

During our first unit, the children will create their own games and write a set of instructions for others to play. We will also be following a range of instructions and we will explore the key features.



During the second part of this term, we will explore a range of stories, changing and adapting them to create our own narratives.

Science

As Scientists, we will explore the impact that diet and exercise has on our body and we will explore ways in which we can look after our bodies. During this topic, the children will classify foods in a range of different ways and create a healthy fruit kebab. Yum!

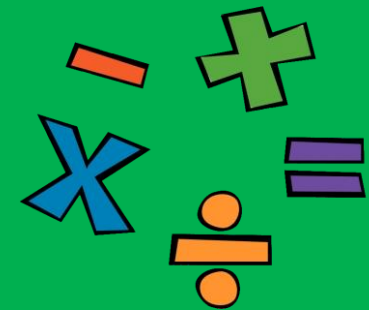


Also, we will be exploring ways in which DT and Science link together by designing and creating moving vehicles.

Maths

In Maths this term we will continue to explore...

- Number and place value
- Addition and subtraction
- Multiplication and division
- Fractions of shapes and amounts
- Measure – capacity, weight and length
- Statistics
- Geometry – 2D and 3D shapes



Personal Development

We will:

- Develop our understanding of how to keep ourselves physically and mentally healthy
- Understand how to use kind hands
- Develop an understanding of which people in our lives can help us

History

We will:

- Explore the lives of significant people from the past – in particular, sporting icons.

Computing

We will:

- Continue to explore the use of spreadsheets
- Follow and create simple instructions
- Explore the question – what is technology?

R.E

We will:

- Explore a range of themes through Judaism such as milestone moments and commitment
- Explore Islam - Hajj



Art and DT

We will:

- Experiment with paint, using a range of techniques and equipment to create effects
- Design and create a balloon powered car
- Make a range of healthy snacks including a fruit kebab

Music

We will:

- Explore a range of tunes each week
- Explore the effect of music in cartoons
- Reflect on music and discuss how it makes us feel

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P.E

Theme – outdoor games
This term we will be taking part on our annual Sports Day and we will learn a whole key stage dance in preparation for the whole school dance competition

Additional Information

P.E Days

Cropredy – Monday and Tuesday

Hanwell – Monday and Wednesday

Wroxton – Monday and Thursday

Your child's P.E kit will be sent home every Friday

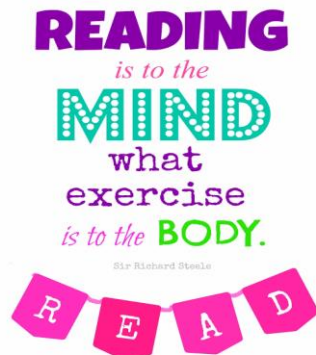


Home Learning

Home learning tasks are sent out weekly (Tuesday). All home learning is expected to be in school by the following Monday. Home learning tasks can be found in the home learning books or reading journals.

Reading

It is expected that children read regularly at home in order to continue making progress and to consolidate phonics sounds as well as building on comprehension skills. Please record your child's reading in the reading journal. Reading journals will be kept in school each Monday.





Useful Links

- [Sports – CBeebies](#)
- [Sports science facts – Science Kids](#)
- [Sports – Olympic](#)
- [Sports – Paralympics](#)
- [Sports and activities – Change4Life](#)
- [Staying healthy and eating well - KS1 - Science - Home Learning with Bitesize - BBC Bitesize](#)
- [Keeping my body healthy - BBC Teach](#)
- [Eat yourself healthy - BBC Bitesize](#)