

**Spring
Term
2024**

Bacton Primary School

Curriculum Information



English

In English, we will be reading Ice Trap, Wolf Brother and Ocean meets Sky. We will be using these texts as a stimulus to write a variety of genres including a journal, a character description and a 3rd person narrative.

We will be reading Pinocchio in our destination reader sessions, practicing and applying our reading strategies to comprehend what we have read.

Maths

In maths, we will be exploring place value, consolidating our understanding of the four operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication and division), fractions, decimals, geometry and measures using a concrete, pictorial and abstract approach. Children will be encouraged to reason and apply these skills when problem solving to deepen their thinking and understanding.

Science

This term, our focus in Science, will be on forces.

Children will be building upon their prior knowledge established in Year 3.

We will learn about gravity, air resistance, water resistance and much, much more.

History and Geography

In Geography, we will be exploring different rivers, both local and others across the globe.

In History, we will be learning about the Ancient Maya.

Computing

In computing, we will be learning about video editing and creating our own videos!

PE

In PE, we will be swimming every Thursday. Please ensure you bring your swimming kit ready for each lesson.

RE and PSHE

In PSHE, we will be learning about our dreams, goals and keeping ourselves healthy.

In RE, we will be exploring Sikhism and Christianity.

Art and DT

In art, we will be exploring collage and creating our own Mayan masks!

In DT, we will focus on textiles. We will be designing, making and evaluating our own stuffed toys.

Spellings

Weekly spellings will be uploaded to Spelling Shed for children to practice at home on a regular basis. Spellings tests will take place every Thursday.

Other Useful Information

- Our PE days are Wednesday and Thursday (swimming). Please ensure that PE kits are brought to school on these days and that earrings are removed prior to school. For swimming, the children will need swimming trunks (not below the knee) or a one-piece swimming costume, a swimming hat and a towel. **Goggles are optional and require parental permission.** The leisure centre requests that all earrings are removed (not just covered) before entering the pool.
- Homework is completed online each week using TTRS and Spelling Shed.