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Language

Our Writing will be linked to our topic Internet Safety.

Our focus for Writing activities will be:

- Explanation
- Instruction / Procedure



Our focus for Reading will be:

- Increasing confidence in selecting and using a range of strategies before and during reading to make meaning clear and explain increasingly complex texts.
- Identifying and explaining the difference between fact and opinion and recognising when we are being influenced and how useful and believable sources are.

Our focus for Talking and Listening will be:

- To listen to and talk with others to share information, experiences and opinions, explain processes and ideas, identify issues raised, clarify points through questioning and summarise main points or findings.
- To develop confidence when engaging with others within and beyond our place of learning, select and organise resources with increasing independence and communicate in a clear, expressive way.

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Numeracy and Mathematics

Our focus for this term is:

- Using a range of mental and written strategies for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division of whole numbers, decimal numbers and fractions.
- Investigating and explaining the properties of 2D shapes and 3D objects.
- Applying understanding of lines of symmetry to create and complete symmetrical pictures and patterns.
- Applying knowledge of number facts to solve problems where an unknown value is represented by a symbol or letter.
- Interpreting and presenting data and drawing conclusions from information displayed.
- Using knowledge of the coordinate system to plot and describe the location of a point on a grid.

The children will be learning to:

- Solve increasingly complex problems involving multiplication and division, addition and subtraction.
- Use and apply expressions and equations to solve problems with unknown values.
- Display data in a clear way using a suitable scale and making effective use of technology.
- Carry out a range of problem solving tasks individually and in groups and sharing strategies to deepen understanding.
- Conduct simple experiments involving chance and communicate predictions and findings using the vocabulary of probability.

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Health and Wellbeing

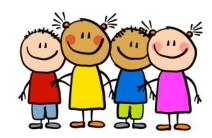
Our focus for this term is: Included.

The children will be learning to:

- Understand and appreciate that people can feel alone and can be misunderstood and left out by others.
- Recognise that each individual has a unique blend of abilities and needs.
- Make full use of and value, the opportunities they are given to improve and manage their learning.

Physical Education

This term we will be focussing on Striking and Fielding and Target activities.



The children will be learning to:

- Develop their skills in moving an object into space to score or prevent runs.
- Increase accuracy in moving an object from a start to a set target.
- Further develop their repertoire of movement skills when sending and receiving an object.
- Develop team work and ability to actively participate in competitive team sports.

