

English year 1/2

In English this half term we will be developing our speaking and listening and writing skills in different text types. These will be based on our topic of traditional tales, using Little Red Riding Hood.

Year 1

Pupils will be taught to:

write sentences by:

- saying out loud what they are going to write about
- composing a sentence orally before writing it
- sequencing sentences to form short narratives
- re-reading what they have written to check that it makes sense

Begin spell:

- words containing each of the 40+ phonemes already taught
- common exception words
- the days of the week

Handwriting:

- sit correctly at a table, holding a pencil comfortably and correctly
- begin to form lower-case letters in the correct direction, starting and finishing in the right place

Grammar:

- begin to punctuate sentences using a capital letter and a full stop, question mark or exclamation mark.

Year 2

Pupils will be taught to:

Consider what they are going to write before beginning by:

- planning or saying out loud what they are going to write about
- writing down ideas and/or key words, including new vocabulary
- encapsulating what they want to say, sentence by sentence

Begin spell by:

- segmenting spoken words into phonemes and representing these by graphemes, spelling many correctly

Handwriting:

- use spacing between words that reflects the size of the letters
- form lower-case letters of the correct size relative to one another

Grammar:

- learning how to use both familiar and new punctuation correctly, including: full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question marks and commas for lists
- expanded noun phrases to describe and specify [for example, the blue butterfly]

Maths Year 1

Number - multiplication and division

Pupils will be taught to:

- solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays.

Number - fractions

Pupils will be taught to:

- recognise, find and name a half as 1 of 2 equal parts of an object, shape or quantity
- recognise, find and name a quarter as 1 of 4 equal parts of an object, shape or quantity

Maths Year 2

Number - fractions

Pupils will be taught to:

- recognise, find, name and write fractions $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{2}{4}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$ of a length, shape, set of objects or quantity
- write simple fractions, for example $\frac{1}{2}$ of 6 = 3 and recognise the equivalence of $\frac{2}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{2}$

Measurement- Time

Pupils will be taught to:

- compare and sequence intervals of time
- tell and write the time to five minutes, including quarter past/to the hour and draw the hands on a clock face to show these times
- know the number of minutes in an hour and the number of hours in a day.

Science Year 1/2

Seasonal changes

Pupils will be taught to:

- observe changes across the 4 seasons
- observe and describe weather associated with the seasons and how day length varies