

## Notices For This Half Term:

### **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May**

Bank Holiday – School Closed

### **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

Polling Day – School Closed.  
Online learning will be set.

### **Half Term:**

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May. Children return Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June.

## **How to help at home:**

Complete home learning:

- Set on Thursday on Microsoft Teams.
- Due back on Monday in home learning books

Read daily with your child

Practise sounds and word reading using RWI phonics videos

Practise recall of number bonds to 5/10/20.

Practise spelling words, forming letters correctly and writing simple sentences.



## **MATHEMATICS**

- Children will consolidate their understanding of place value within 50.
- They will explore multiplication and division.
- They will learn about fractions, including whole, half, and a quarter.



## **COMPUTING**

- Children will use Purple Mash to learn how to create and understand animated stories.



## **MUSIC**

- Children will develop their coordination through dancing and singing games.
- They will be using their voices and instruments to repeat a tune.
- They will learn the song "Your Imagination" and play simple instrumental parts to accompany it.



## **RE**

- Children will learn about caring for the world and why it is important. They will explore what different religions believe about the world and how people of different faiths show responsibility in looking after it.



## **ENGLISH**

- Our focus story is *Beegu* by Alexis Deacon. The children will read the story and learn new vocabulary. They will also develop their writing by creating a character description, writing a letter, and producing a short narrative.
- Reading & Phonics: Children will continue daily phonics and reading. Please support your child in accessing Oxford Owl to practise reading.



## **PHYSICAL EDUCATION**

- Children will develop their ball skills in preparation for Sports Day. They will practise key techniques such as dribbling, passing and receiving, building coordination, control, and teamwork through a variety of fun and active games

## **PE Days: Monday and Thursday**



## **PSHE and RSE**

- Children will use their imagination and practise focusing their attention. They will learn about keeping their bodies clean and why this is important. They will also learn how to be kind, be good friends, and understand different feelings.



## **TOPIC**

- **History:** Children will explore kings and queens in British history. They will study the life of Queen Elizabeth II and discover how life in the UK changed during her long reign. Children will also be introduced to the modern Royal Family and learn how the monarchy continues today.
- **ART:** Children will explore the artwork of Mondrian. They will learn about primary colours and how to keep colours clean when creating their own work. They will then design and make their own art piece inspired by Mondrian.



## **SCIENCE**

- Children will learn to identify and name common wild and garden plants.
- They will look at the basic parts of flowering plants and trees.
- Children will also observe how plants grow over time.