



We are pleased to be able to share with you the curriculum content which your child will cover this term.
Please get in touch if you have any questions!

English – Reading

This term, we are reading the novel: *The Diary of a Killer Cat*

In reading lessons, children will continue to develop their skills with retrieval and inference. They will read a variety of fiction, non-fiction and poetry texts.

Parents can help at home by reading with their child and signing their reading record every day.

English – Writing

Diary of a Killer Cat – we will write a chapter as a diary entry from the point of view of the main character using *adverbs, conjunctions e.g. when, while, before, after* and *inverted commas*.

Grammar

We will continue to build on and expand upon the children's knowledge of grammar, looking especially this term at:

- Inverted commas
- Paragraphs

Spellings:

prefix in-, prefix re-, prefix sub-, prefix inter-, prefix super-

Mathematics

This half term we will cover the following topics:

- Multiplication and Division
- Addition and Subtraction

Please support your child by completing set homework in their CGP book and logging into Mathletics each week.

Our calculation policies can help you to understand the methods your child has been taught. You can find these in the Mathematics section of our school website.

Science – Do all animals eat the same food?

We will be learning how to classify animals according to their diet. We will also describe the features of a healthy human diet and write a scientific observation and record our diet over time.



Try to talk about a balanced diet at home.

Punjabi – Pupils will have a Punjabi lesson every week which is taught by a specialist teacher. Please help them to learn more by speaking, reading and Punjabi at home.

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Physical Education:

Wednesday Ms. Birk / Thursday Ms. Wilson

This term, pupils will focus on handball and fitness. Please ensure that the have the correct kit with them every week.



Sikh Studies - Which significant battles did Guru Gobind Singh Ji face?

By the end of this term, we will learn the history of important Sikh battles. Looking at the history behind:

- Battle of Anandpur Sahib
- Battle of Chamkaur Sahib
- Battle of Muktsar Sahib

History: What did Ancient Egyptians believe happened after death?

We will place Ancient Egyptian civilisation on a chronological timeline. We will also describe the process of mummification and burial and look at evidence to describe the lives of people in Ancient Egypt.

Religious Education - Why are festivals important to religious communities?

We will learn about the religious festivals of Easter, Eid al-Fitr and Pesach. We will read and analyse the story of each festival to make connections between the story/beliefs and how each festival is celebrated today and describe similarities and differences between each celebration.

Computing - What are drawing programs and how do we use them?

Children will learn to recognise and talk about some common uses of ICT in the world around them and create & store some data, (simple data file), and then find answers to straight-forward questions. We will use a variety of software.

PSHE – This term in PSHE, we will focus on:

- Money, charity, sewa
- Keeping safe
- Our society – tolerance and respect



Art – What can we create with watercolours?

In Art we will mix colours and creating new colours from primary colours. We will also compare different abstract paintings with one another in order to create an artwork, using watercolours, in the style of Paul Klee.

Ideas for parents to support learning in school

- Visit the British Museum, to visit the Egyptian gallery.
- Visit the Tate gallery to look at Paul Klee artwork
- Take part in sewa of your choice.