English:

Using Read Write Inc Lang. & Lit., we will continue to build on a solid phonics basis to develop reading comprehension, grammar and writing.

There will be an emphasis on developing neat and properly formed joined handwriting and a focus on dictionary work, suffixes and spelling directly linked to day to day writing.

Games/PE:

Tag Rugby with Mr Hinson, School Sports
Coordinator
Kwik Cricket with Mr Hinson, School Sports

Coordinator

French:

Salut Çava - whole school French scheme.

Maths:

We will continue to develop the basic skills of number and place value, applying these to calculation and problem solving.

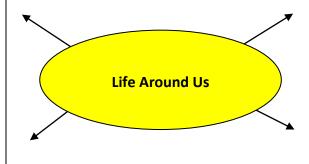
There will be a continued emphasis on learning important number facts by heart and mental calculation.

We will also continue to develop written methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

There will be a continued emphasis on the language of maths.

Science: Habitats:

- To know that living things live in habitats to which they are suited
- To know that living things depend on each other for survival
- Science: States of Matter
- To compare and group materials together, according to whether they are solids, liquids or gases
- To observe that some materials change state when they are heated or cooled, and measure or research the temperature at which this happens in degrees Celsius (°C)
- To recognise a fair test and design investigations to answer scientific questions.



Art:

To investigate the painting style of Monet and in particular the way in which he captured light reflecting on water

D&T:

To investigate reversible and irreversible changes to states of matter in cooking

Music:

• To develop musical knowledge and composition skills using the music programme Charanga!

ICT: Computing

Scratch programming: designing a maze, working with a programming software kit

Earth Magic Project

 We will continue to complete research and learning linked to the 'Plants' part of the project so that the children may earn the final certificate and become 'Earth Magicians'!

Homework

It is really important that the children regularly practise their times tables at home for short periods (10 minutes three or four times a week). Encouraging daily reading and sharing books so that the children develop a love of reading and understand how important it is will help them make the best possible progress.