**Writing**

This term we will be exploring a range of genres including fiction and diary writing. We will be focussing on the use of adjectives, expanded noun phrases, conjunctions (and, because, when, that) as well as using capital letters, full stops, commas, exclamation marks, question marks and we will continue to take part in regular handwriting sessions.

**Other Events**

**22nd January** – Climate Change Week

**6th February** - Safer Internet Day

**2nd March** – World Book Day

**4th March** – Careers Week

**11th March** – Big Talk

**26th March** – Parent Event (9am)

**Science**

**Living Things and Their Habitats**

In this unit, we will learn about habitats and the plants and animals that live there. We will also learn to tell the difference between things that are living, dead and things that have never been alive.

**Animals Including Humans**

This term we will look at young animals and compare them to their adults. We will also look at how animals change as they grow up and begin to look at life cycles.

**The Wider Curriculum**

**Coastlines - How will what I do today impact the world tomorrow?**

This term, we will use maps and atlases to recap the seven continents of the world and identify the five oceans. We will explore the countries that make up the United Kingdom and begin to explain the characteristics of major cities. Comparing two different countries will provide the opportunity to explore climate, physical and human features as well as understand how plastic pollution is effecting life, as we know it. During this project, we will also build our very own beach huts! Researching, designing, planning our designs will enable us to build a purposeful and functional product.

**PE**

In PE this term, we will be taking part in gymnastics and dance. We will be working hard to develop our balance and co-ordination skills.

**Maths**

**This term we will cover:**

**Shape –** recognise 2D and 3D shapes, count the sides on a 2D shape, count vertices on a 2D shapes, draw 2D shapes, lines of symmetry on shapes, use lines of symmetry to complete shapes, sort 2D shapes, count faces on 3D shapes, count edges on 3D shapes, count vertices on 3D shapes, sort 3D shapes, make patterns with 2D and 3D shapes.

**Money –** Count money, choose notes and coins, make the same amount, compare amounts of money, calculate with money, make a pound, find change.

**Multiplication and Division –** recgonise equal groups, make equal groups, add equal groups, multiplication equations, use arrays, 2, 5 and 10 times tables, doubling and halving, divide by 2, 5 and 10.

**Length and Height –** measure in centimetres, measure in metres, compare lengths and heights, order lengths and heights.

**Mass, Capacity and Temperature –** compare mass, measure in grams, measure in kilograms, compare volume and capacity, measure in millimetres, measure in litres.

**Spring Term**