

English

In our phonics lessons the children will continue to develop their knowledge of the sounds letters and groups of letters make. Phonic skills will be applied to read and write sentences.

The children will be listening to a rich range of stories about castles, dragons, goats, trolls and princesses. We will create and write our own dragon stories using the Telling Tales Tool kit.

Maths

During maths lessons the children will be reading, writing and ordering numbers to 20 and beyond. They will be using the "tens" frames to find out what each digit represents in a two digit number. The children will be solving simple number problems, explaining their ideas and thinking of ways to record. The children will be adding and subtracting small groups of objects.



Summer Term 1

Class - Reception

Topic-Castles and Knights .

Class Books- There Was an Old Dragon Who Swallowed a Knight. The Egg.



RE

During our Religious Education lessons the children will be finding out about who the twelve disciples were and why they were special to Jesus.

The children will also be finding out about other Bible stories such as Joseph and his special colourful coat.



The World

We will be observing the changes as our vegetable plants grow and change. The children will be looking after the potato, pumpkin and courgette plants. We have also planted wild flower seeds in the Early Years Outdoor Classroom . We will draw and paint pictures of the plants to record how they grow.



Art and D&T

The children will have opportunities to design and make castles, dragons, kings and queens from different modelling materials. The children will also develop painting and drawing skills.



Music

The children will be learning songs about friendship and turn taking. They will use simple instruments to accompany the music and tap out the rhythm. We will be listening to different pieces of music and deciding which character the music might represent.



Computing

Using the 2Simple software the children will be drawing pictures of different characters, writing lists and sentences. The children will be learning to use the shift key and the return to create capital letters and a new line in their typing.



PSHE

During our circle time activities the children will explore our school values. The children will be thinking about friendships and how we can show we are a good friend. We will read stories about making friends and stories which explore the theme of being a good friend.



PE

During PE lessons the children will be learning to throw and catch bean bags and balls as part of a team. The children will be learning to work together as part of a small team, concentrating on the ball and anticipating what to do next.

