

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you have all had a great Easter holidays and that the children are all set for another exciting term. Here is our curriculum map for our topic leading up to the May half term.

Best wishes Mrs Oliver & Mrs Swann



Big Question(s): How can you grow your own salad? (science)

Could I find my way back home? (Geography/History)



As Readers & Writers we will...

In reading, we will focus on the story 'Eddie's Garden and how to make things grow'. This will support our learning in science. We will practise our reading comprehension skills. In English, we will be writing our own story based on 'The Extraordinary Gardener'.



As Mathematicians we will...

- Find equal and unequal parts of an object.
- Find half, quarters, and three-quarters of an amount and a shape.
- We will find a third of an object and a shape.
- We will look at finding equivalent fractions



As Scientists we will...

Observing and describe how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants. We will also be finding out and describing how plants need water, light and a suitable temperature to grow and stay healthy.



As Athletes we will...



Be developing our balance, agility and co-ordination through gymnastics and building on our athletics skills. We will look how to roll and throw a ball and hoop.

As Musicians we will...



We will be focusing on friendship. We will learn 'The Friendship song' written by Joanna Mangona and Pete Readman.

In geography we will...

Learning about different oceans in the world. We will then learn about our local area. We will use maps to look at Melton and the surrounding areas, whilst learning what symbols maps use. We will also practise drawing our own maps.

Sticky words for this term:

germinate disperse bulb temperature
location symbol direction bearing

The children will learn and discover more sticky words throughout the half term.

In Religious Education we will...

Think about how we should care for others, the world and understand why this matters?



As Artist/Designers we will...

Focusing on the topic 'map it out'. We will explore and create maps through various art forms including drawing, felt making, print making and designing.



Our British Value focus is...



Rule of Law

Children will learn what this means and will participate in class discussions.

As Technicians we will...

Be learning how to stay safe online.

We will also be focusing on 'algorithms and debugging'. We will be learning that computers can use algorithms to make informed and calculated predictions. We will be writing our own clear and precise algorithms.

