

ENGLISH

Our main genres this half term are information texts and first-person narrative.

Our writing journey this half term will include:

- Letters
- Adverts
- Fact files

We will also be practising reading, spelling and handwriting skills in our dedicated weekly sessions.

SCIENCE

Living Things and Their Habitats

We will:

- Find out the difference between things that are living, dead or have never been alive.
- Discuss how different habitats and micro-habitats support a variety of life.
- Create simple food chains to explore the feeding relationships within different habitats.

ART

Craft and design: Map it out

We will:

Explore and create maps through various art forms.

R.E.

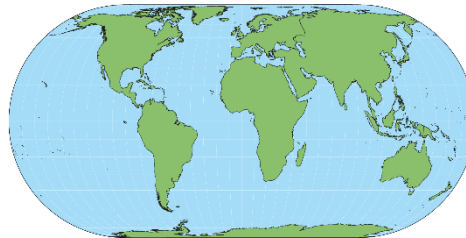
We are going on a quest to answer the question:

'Why are sacred texts so important to people of faith?'

After following our Christianity, Islam and Jewish pathways, we will identify similarities and differences between these world faiths' sacred texts.

Year 2 Autumn 1 2026:

Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?



P.E.

Tuesday (Mrs Gaynor): Our unit this half term is playground games.

Thursday (Mrs Johnson): Our unit this half term is dance.

PSHE

Our unit this half term is 'Me and My Relationships'.

MATHS

Our units this half term will be:

- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Shape

We will also practise: recalling number bonds to 10 and 20; counting in 2s, 5s and 10s; adding or subtracting pairs of single digit numbers mentally and counting on or back from any 2-digit number. Perhaps you could help your child to practise these skills at home, too.

GEOGRAPHY

Our key question: Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?

We will:

- Name and locate the seven continents, the North and South poles and the equator on a world map.
- Describe some similarities and differences between the UK and Kenya.

COMPUTING

Computing Systems and Networks: IT Around Us

We will explore the benefits of IT in different places and then consider how to use IT responsibly.