As mathematicians, we will focus on place value of numbers to 20 and beyond. This will include: sorting and counting objects; counting forwards and back from any given number; number formation; finding one more and one less; using ordinal numbers and recognising numbers on a number line. We will also look at addition and subtraction to 20. As writers, we will write sentences using pre-cursive handwriting. We will use our phonics and common exception words to spell as well as using simple punctuation.

As readers, we will explore a variety of texts including fiction, nonfiction and poetry. Phonics will be taught daily and comprehension skills will be introduced and built on using our phonics and reading programme, 'Little Wandle Letters and Sounds: Revised'.

As scientists, we will observe changes in the seasons. We will explore our senses and name and identify our basic body parts.

Homework: We encourage reading at home (five times per week.) Please help your child to learn their spellings. Choose 3 activities from our homework suggestions that will be sent home soon.

As geographers, we will describe our locality. We will follow a simple map.

As historians, we will create a timeline of ourselves and recognise past and present.

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As computer scientists, we will learn about online safety and how to program a toy to move around a map to find buried treasure.

In PE we will be learning throwing and catching skills. PE day is Tuesday. Children need to wear their PE kit to school. Wear tracksuit bottoms if it is cold. Swimming is on Thursdays. See letter. As musicians, we are learning about using rhythm and pulse to keep the beat.

In wellbeing we will find out what makes a good learner, a good classmate and a good friend.

In RE we will learn about what it means to be thankful and grateful. We will learn there are many ways in which people thank God. We will learn about Harvest.