Understanding English, communication and languages <u>Speaking and Listening</u>: Everyone will have the opportunity to join in with discussions on a range of subjects throughout the term, and will be able to present information individually and in groups to an audience.

Reading: A range of fiction, non-fiction and poetry will be covered. We will continue to participate in regular guided reading sessions and regularly change our reading books. As well as reading to adults in class and taking part in guided reading and reading comprehension activities, children are encouraged to read at least 3 times a week at home.

<u>Writing</u>: We will cover a range of suspense story writing and non-fiction instructional writing based on journeys. In poetry we will be writing journey poems.

<u>French</u>: We will extend our knowledge of French in a variety of ways, which will include basic grammar, speaking and listening, writing opportunities, role-play and games.

Scientific and Technological Understanding and Design

<u>Science</u>: During this term we will investigate 'My Body' by identifying and name the different parts of the body and start to explore what different things their bodies can do. We will then go on to find out about each of the five senses in detail through engaging investigations. In the second half of term we will observe changes across the seasons by exploring the signs of spring and summer through nature and wildlife.

<u>Design</u>: We will be designing, making and evaluating moving vehicles. We will look at each element needed to make a moving fire engine including axels, chassis and wheels, using our knowledge to create our own.

Computing

We will be developing our basic computer skills using the laptops during the first half of term. In second half of the term we will develop our basic programming skills through Beebots. In Connected World (ESafety) we will be considering online bullying and managing online information.

Understanding Physical Development, Health and Wellbeing

During the term we will develop our attacking and defending skills through hockey and develop our gymnastic skills. After half term we will be learning about the benefits of yoga as well swimming to develop our knowledge of stroke technique and water safety.

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Mathematical Understanding

Throughout the term we will look at these topics, building upon their previous achievements:

- Counting, ordering and calculating.
- Securing number facts, understanding shape.
- Statistics and measures.
- Calculating, measuring shape.
- Securing number facts, relationships and calculating.

Understanding the Arts

<u>Art</u>: This 'Nature Sculptures' unit will focus on different kinds of nature sculptures and explore the work of Andy Goldsworthy and other environmental sculptures. Our work will be showcased through a final multimedia collage piece.

Music: We will:

- Use our voices expressively and creatively by singing songs and speaking chants and rhymes.
- Play tuned and untuned instruments musically.
- Listen with concentration and understanding to a range of high-quality live and recorded music.
- Experiment with, create, select and combine sounds.

Historical, Geographical, Religious and Social Understanding, PSHE

<u>History</u>: We will be learning about how transport has changed over time, looking at transport used at specific periods of time. We will also learn about specific people in history related to transport.

<u>Geography</u>: We will be looking at different ways to travel around the world. We will also compare the methods of transport used in different parts of the world.

<u>RE</u>: We will be learning about special books used in a range of religions including the Bible, Torah and Qur'an.

<u>PSHE</u>: This term we will look at our 'Dreams and Goals' in the first term, setting personal goals and how to achieve them. In the second half of term we will learn about 'Healthy Me'. Underpinning PSHE will be British values.