## **Year 1/2 Summer 1 - 2023/4**

**Science** - Over the whole of summer term we will be learning all about plants.

This half term our focus will be naming a variety of common wild and garden plants including deciduous and evergreen trees.

We will also be exploring the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants (including trees).





deciduous tree

evergreen tre





Art - During this half term the children will be focussing on painting. They will be exploring colour mixing and creating a range of secondary colours. They will be using the colour samples they have created to make a collage picture.





**English** -During the term the children will write their own poems all about their own dragon, based on the text 'Tell Me a Dragon'. They will be writing about the features of their dragon using descriptive language. We will also be looking at rewriting the narrative story book 'The Disgusting Sandwich' to explore how we can use vocabulary to entertain the reader.





**RE -** What makes some places sacred to believers?

The children will be discovering religious places that are significant to each of the three religions we have been looking at for the past few terms (Christianity, Judaism and Islam), why these places are important and how the followers of each religion respect and view these places.

## History-

This term, our topic will be all about 'History makers,'. We will be looking at how someone becomes a history maker, different famous people we already know and how they became history makers, placing them on a chronological timeline. We will also look at how the children would like to be remembered if they were to become famous and what they would do to make history themselves.

**PSHE -** Our topic this half term is Economic Well Being. We will be learning all about the different ways to keep our money safe. We will also explore how different skills are needed for different jobs and how money is earnt. The children will start to think about the importance of saving money.

**Maths** - We will continue using the Power Maths scheme of work, alongside White Rose resources to learn all about...

- **Y1** Addition and subtraction to 20 Numbers to 50
- **Y2** Multiplication and division Length and height







Computing - The children will be learning about digital music this term. They will discover different music and describe their feelings towards different pieces of music. They will also learn to create their own music using online platforms, using rhythm, patterns and tempo.

**PE** - will be every Thursday and Friday. Please can you ensure your child wears a PE Kit to school on those days. This half term the children will be continuing with gymnastics and movement..

Music - In our weekly sessions the children will begin to learn about the music of the British Isles and create music of their own, composing a piece of music as part of a group. Once they have created this piece of music, they will then evaluate and improve on their group composition.

Read Write Inc- The children will continue to have daily RWi lessons in school. The children will take home an AR/colour banded book as well as RWi book bag book to support their reading from home.

Keep in touch through Seesaw. We would love to see some photos of your learning.