

English

For the Summer Term, we will be focusing on:

- Stories from different cultures
- Poetry
- Instructions

We will continue to develop our reading, writing and communications skills. As well as working on our personal targets.

History and Geography

For the Summer Term, we will be focusing on:

- Lancaster through the ages
- Rivers

If you have any photos of a trip to Lancaster or photos of the children near a river we would love to include them in our learning.

Maths

For the Summer Term, we will be focusing on:

- Number and place value
- Addition and subtraction
- Capacity and Volume
- Fractions
- Describing positions
- Shape
- Interpreting data
- Time
- Money



Science

This term in Science our topic is Living things and their habitats – we will look at different classes of animals and looking at where we can find these animals

We will then move onto Electricity and making circuits.



Willow Class



PE

In PE, we will be focusing on:

- Throwing and catching skills
- Team work
- Gymnastics
- Boccia

PE is on a Monday and a Friday.

Art and Design Technology



In Art we are looking at how we can develop our watercolour paintings. We will develop different techniques and create a landscape picture.

In DT we will be making pop up Christmas cards to sell at the Christmas fair.



RE

For the Summer Term, we will be focusing on:

- Christianity – importance of the journey of life celebrations
- Islam – Hajj



Computing



For the Autumn Term, we will be focusing on:

- Online safety
- Computer skills

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PSHE

We are now officially a 'My Happy Mind' school and our PSHE lessons will be delivered using this to support us.

We will be covering:

- Responsibilities
- Audiology



Deaf Studies and BSL

We will continue our learning with Mr Vare on a Thursday.

Enrichment

Our enrichment topics this half term include tennis, orienteering and sustainability.

Music

In Music, we will be exploring music and how they can affect our emotions. We will be listening to popular pieces and describing how they can make us move. We will look at Christmas music through the ages and saying what we like about them.

Forest School

Forest School will be half a day once a half term. We will let you know in advance when our sessions will be.

Please remember to read with your child every night – even just a few pages can make a big difference.

- **Talk about the meaning** – help your child link what they read or hear to their own experiences
- **Ask them about tricky words/new words** – What do they mean?
- **Ask them what happens next** – great practise for recall
- **Model expressive reading**, showing how intonation and expression bring the text to life
- **Ask questions** to deepen understanding. Can your child explain what is happening? Why is the character feeling like that?
- **Most importantly, enjoy the time together**



Work on their personalised targets. The more practise they have the quicker they will be able to achieve their target. If you are unsure how to support the target work – please contact me. I will be more than happy to help. If they do some work at home, please send it in or take a photo of them doing it so we can award them some house points.

If they make something linked to the topics above, we would love to see that too. They could draw a picture, write down a sentence or even make a model.