Greythorn Primary Curriculum Year Group: Y1/2 Term: Spring 2

What does home look like?

Geography

The children will be continuing on from their learning in Spring 1. This term, the children will be learning about human and physical features. They will become familiar with the human and physical features of the UK countries. At the end of the term, the children will be creating a fact file about the characteristics of Wales.

Music

This term we will be learning how to develop music we make using our voices, bodies and instruments. We will be composing simple tunes with different sections. Then, we will be starting to make simple musical notation in the graphic form for the music we produce.

Learning for Life

Through our Learning for Life sessions, the children will be learning about their 'Rights and Responsibilities'.

RE

In RE, we will be learning about Jesus' miracles and the celebration of Easter.



Maths

In Spring 2, in Year 1 we will begin by looking at place value of numbers to 50, length before moving onto measurement: length, height, mass and volume. Year 2 will begin by completing their unit on multiplication and division, before beginning measurement: length, height, mass, capacity and temperature. Each week the children have an arithmetic day, wherein they practice a variety of number sentences.

English

The children will begin the term by looking at the text 'The Night Gardener' by Terry and Eric Fan. During our first unit on narrative writing, we will familiarise ourselves with the text before looking at the features, then planning and writing a setting description. After this we will write a diary entry. The children will have daily Read, Write Inc. phonics sessions, as well as weekly spelling sessions and daily handwriting sessions.

PE

This term we will be focussing on dance with a sports coach. The children will also be participating PE lessons with their class teacher focussing on gymnastics.

Science

Throughout Spring 2, we will be learning about plants. We will be learning about different trees and flowering plants. The children will be exploring trees structures, how they grow from seeds and what trees need in order to grow and stay healthy.

D&T

During Design and Technology lessons, the children will learn about where woodland creatures live before they design and make their own animal shelters. After that they will evaluate the animal structures that they have built.

Computing

In Computing, the children will be learning about 'grouping and sorting'. Then they will be learning about 'spreadsheets'. Children use Purple Mash to support their Computing learning.