

My Communication This half term, we will be exploring 21st Century Non-Fiction and writing letters for different purposes. Students will learn how letters can share feelings, give information, or persuade others. We will practise reading real and imagined letters, discussing their purpose and audience, and creating our own using correct layout and tone. Ways you can help your child: • Read and talk about letters, emails, or notes you receive at home. • Encourage them to write short letters or messages to friends or family. • Talk about why people write letters and how they can be kind and helpful.	My Body In PE, our focus will be on Health and Fitness, including HIIT and circuit training. Students will learn the importance of warming up, staying active, and understanding how exercise benefits both body and mind. We will also work on teamwork and motivation, taking turns to lead short activities. Ways you can help your child: • Encourage regular movement breaks at home, such as star jumps or stretches. • Talk about how exercise makes us feel healthier and happier. • Try short fitness games together to build stamina and confidence.	My Independence Our topic in Work-Related Learning is Planning for My Future. Students will explore their own skills, interests, and goals — thinking about what they might want to do as adults. They will practise decision-making, identifying what support they may need, and setting small steps to help them move towards a long-term goal. Ways you can help your child: • Talk about jobs and roles in your community and what skills they need. • Encourage them to share what they are good at and what they enjoy. • Help them set one small goal for home, such as helping with chores or saving money.
My Community In PSHE and RE, we will be learning about Christmas today - is it really about Jesus? Students will explore the Christian Christmas story, the nativity, and how celebrations have changed over time. We will also discuss how people celebrate differently and what Christmas means to different families. Ways you can help your child: • Share family traditions and talk about what Christmas means to you. • Visit a Christmas service or community event together. • Talk about kindness and giving at this time of year.	My Cognition In Maths, students will learn to name the parts of a circle (radius, diameter, circumference) and exploring how to measure and calculate area. In Geography, we will study Sustainable Tourism, exploring how holidays affect the environment and how we can protect natural habitats. In Science, we'll continue our work on energy and how it is used and conserved. In Computing, students will learn about copyright and ownership, understanding which content can be re-used and how to credit creators properly. Ways you can help your child: • Find circles at home and measure their diameter or radius together. • Talk about how to care for the environment when travelling or on holiday. • Encourage responsible use of photos, music, or videos online	My Creativity In Art, we will explore illustration, inspired by artists E. H. Shepard and Tony Ross. Students will look at drawings from <i>Winnie the Pooh</i> and <i>David Walliams</i> books, learning how pictures can tell a story. They will practise drawing characters and scenes and create their own illustrations. In Design and Technology, we'll use 3D modelling tools to design a playground, applying creativity and problem-solving skills. Ways you can help your child: • Encourage drawing or sketching favourite book characters. • Look at how illustrations change the mood or feeling of a story. • Try free 3D design or building games to explore creative ideas.