My Communication

Communication and Comprehension

- Autumn 1-Fiction- 20th century fiction-The Iron man. Reading short extracts, identifying and interpreting information.
- Autumn 2-Non-fiction-letters for different purposes. Writing for different forms, purposes and audiences
- Weekly reading comprehension
- 1:1 reading
- Daily phonics or guided reading lessons

Communication will include:

- Using symbols/ signing
- Topic specific vocabulary
- Repetitive phrases.
- Speaking in full sentences.
- Initiating interactions with peers
- Making comparisons
- Following instructions. Giving instructions and directions.
- Spellings-practice and in a test format
- Writing
- Using manners in the classroom and around school
- Making requests
- Answering higher level questions e.g. why, how?

Ways you can help your child:

- Encourage communication
- Encourage use of sentences.
- Encourage writing
- Revise phonics sounds
- Share a story or listen to them read

My Body

Physical Education

- Autumn 1- Invasion games: Football (leadership sills)
- Autumn 2- Health and Fitness: HIIT, circuit training
- Gross motor skills development in Forest school- running / jumping / hopping / skipping / co-ordination / throwing / obstacles / catching
- Fine motor skills- fastenings / pegs / cutting / sticking / writing / colouring / drawing / building / foam / Playdoh / kinetic sand

Across the term we will be looking at leadership skills and working on an AQA qualification.

Ways you can help your child:

- Playdough activities
- Visit parks and playgrounds
- Ride bikes/ scooters
- Building activities
- Playing in the garden e.g. trampoline
- Encourage getting dressed and doing fastenings independently

My Independence

Skills for Life

- Autumn 1- Work related learning-Planning for their future and discussing future options
- Autumn 2- Food tech-Budgeting, shopping, consumer awareness and simple meals

Community visits

Local community visits to the park, shops and bakery.

Ways you can help your child:

- Let them help you make lunch or dinner
- Encourage them to speak about their future aspirations
- Visit new places together

Anything your child does send in photos for us to share with the class!

My Community

Religious Education

Christmas today-Is it really about Jesus?

PSHE/RSE

- Autumn 1 Self-awareness-managing pressure
- Autumn 2- The world we live in-Preparing for adulthood

Cultural Development

Black History

Ways you can help your child:

- Praise kind behaviours at home and feel free to share on dojo so we can share it in class too

 Comparison.
- Discuss who helps us in the community
- Encourage them to be more independent with self-care at home
- Visit or look online at a synagogue
- Ask them what they learnt at school today

My Cognition

Maths

- Autumn 1- Number and place value
- Autumn 2- Measurement

At the start of the term we will be looking at number and place value into the thousands. We will be comparing and ordering fractions and looking at negative number. In Autumn 2 we will look at length and height. Compare, describe and solve practical problems.

Science

- Autumn 1- Cells
- Autumn 2- Energy

We will be learning about Cells, Organs, Tissue and their functions including: Cell biology Autumn 2 we will be learning about different types of energy

Computing

- Youtubing and current social media safety
- 3D modelling-Mr P Dares

History

• The Voyages of Discovery 1492-1522

Geography

Sustainable Tourism

Ways you can help your child:

- Ask them what they learnt at school today
- Go out and take pictures and send them into school to share
- Do your own topic specific research

My Creativity

Art and Design

- DT- Textiles-Exploring various methods in which fabrics can be joined together.
- Art- E.H Sheppard, Tony Ross-Learning about the art and the application of the skills used

Ways you can help your child:

- Encourage drawing, painting, sketching using different materials
- Modelling
- Do your own topic research