**Music – Singing and recorder**

We will build our knowledge about rhythm, beat and pulse as well as continue to learn to play the recorder.

**Curriculum Enrichment**

\* Forest School – alternate Fridays, beginning 12th September

\*VARC workshop

\*Chinese New Year

\*Shrove Tuesday

\*Valentine’s Day

**RE – What does it mean to belong to a faith community?**

We will be learning about the ways in which different religions show they belong.

**Computing – Can I use a computer to write?**

We will be learning how to use a keyboard and how to change text.

**Art – Paper Sculptures**

We will work with paper to create sculptures learning a variety of ways to join and fix materials and create a variety of shapes. We will develop our control when using a range of tools.

**Maths**

**Year 1** – We will look again at Place Value, this time in numbers to 20. This will involve understanding the composition of the ‘teen’ numbers. We will compare and order numbers, using a number line. We will then move on to addition and subtraction (within 20).

**Year 2** – We will begin by looking at money, identifying the different coins and notes and working out the value of them. We will find different ways to make amounts as well as find change. We will then move on to multiplication and division. This will include learning about equal groups, by grouping and sharing before looking at the 2, 5 and 10 times tables and related division facts.

**PSHE – Health and Wellbeing**

We will explore how to understand our feelings, the importance of sleep and keeping clean as well as finding out who keeps us healthy.

**Science – What different habitats are there on planet Earth and what lives in each habitat?**

We will explore a range of habitats, identify animals and plants within those habitats and why they are suited to the habitat. We will learn about food chains and how different living things rely on each other to survive. We will be working scientifically by gathering and recording data to help answer questions, using our observations to answer questions and identifying and classifying.

**English**

The children will continue to develop their phonics and reading through RWI lessons. Reading books will be changed each Friday. Children also have common exception words to learn (these are in their diaries). Children will develop their writing skills, applying their phonics knowledge when spelling words. We will explore a range of writing genres, using stories and non-fiction books to develop our descriptive and story writing, as well as instructions, information texts, labels, lists and captions.

**Key Texts –Lost and Found, Meerkat Mail**

**PE**

PE lessons will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday. The lessons will focus on basketball.

**Geography – Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?**

We will learn the names and locations of the seven continents of the world. We will also locate the equator and the North and South Poles. We will explore the features of hot and cold places, including the climate and weather.