MATHS

As Y1/2 mathematicians, our children will access the White Rose scheme and study:

Y1 - Place value

- Addition and subtraction

Y2 – Money

Multiplication and division

Geography

As geographers, the children will:

- Use world maps to locate and name the seven continents and five oceans
- Identify hot and cold countries on a world
- Identify physical and human features of Iceland and the Polar Regions
- Identify seasonal and weather patterns in cold areas of the world
- Compare Iceland and Polar Regions with Mexborough

As athletes, the children will be covering:

- Target games
- Dance

PSHE (Jigsaw)

Dreams and goals

RE

We will discuss: What can we learn from sacred books?

Art

As artists, the children will:

- Talk about the different styles and techniques used by different artists
- Mix paints to create cold colours
- Mix different thicknesses of paint
- Create washes
- Add detail using a range of tools and techniques
- Evaluate their final painting

Iceland and the **Polar Regions**

Some subjects do not link directly to the theme and will therefore be taught discretely.

Science

As scientists, the children will:

- Recognise and name different materials
- Distinguish between an object and a material
- Understand an object can be made from one material
- Describe simple properties of everyday materials

Writing

As writers, the children will write:

- Dictated sentences
- Different settings
- A story
- A non-chronological report

Reading

Little Wandle Phonic Scheme

The school uses the phonic scheme Little Wandle. The children will have a daily phonic session and 3 practice reading sessions a week. Reading sessions will include decoding, fluency and comprehension skills.

Reading

The children will be exposed to a range of texts through discrete guided reading sessions, hooks for writing and storytime at the end of the day.

These are some of the books we will be reading this half term:







Computing

As users of technology, the children will:

- Be introduced to early programming
- Use floor robots
- Introduced to early algorithms

Music

As musicians, the children will listen to a range of songs, sing and play instruments.

Topic: In the Groove

Genre: Variety