

RE/PSHE	MUSIC	PE	HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY	
<p>This half term we focusing on Healthy and Safer Lifestyles including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What are medicines and why do some people use them? • What do I understand about the roles of doctors, nurses and hospitals? • What can I do if I feel poorly? • What are the potentially risky substances at home and at school? 	<p>We will be exploring the beats and rhythms of different pieces of music, and how each genre differs.</p>	<p>See attached PE overview. Please ensure your child has their Kit in school every week. PE days are Wednesday and Thursday.</p>	<p>This half term in history, we will be looking at the question: 'Who lives in a castle?' We will be looking at our own monarchy and their family home, Windsor castle.</p>	
LITERACY	<p>Our topic focus this half term is</p> 		SCIENCE	DT
<p>We will be continuing with Read Write Inc to support children in learning letters and sounds. This knowledge will then be extended upon to develop writing and reading skills.</p> <p>Other literacy activities will be based on the story of Jack and the Beanstalk. We will be looking at the fantasy world of the Giant's castle and we will be creating our own fantasy worlds. We will also look at the alternatives of the story. How does the Giant feel? This will link within our RE and PSHE themes as technically Jack has just stolen from someone!</p>			<p>We will be linking our science investigations to our story focus this term. How fast do plants really grow? We will plant our own bean seeds, and a variety of other seeds, and compare their growth over a number of weeks. We will consider which conditions are needed to promote healthy growth.</p>	<p>This term we will be looking at the structure of buildings. How are castles so strong? In our DT sessions we will use our newly found knowledge to design and make our own castle. Will we need turrets or a moat?</p>
MATHS	Citizenship		Computing	Homework
<p>During this half term we will be learning how to add numbers together using a variety of different resources, and how to add three small numbers.</p>  <p>We will also be learning to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -add three numbers together -partition numbers - find weights and capacities 	<p>As part of our topic we are planning a trip to a castle. The children will represent the school in the community and will be able to demonstrate their personal, social and interactive skills with those they meet.</p> <p>Water bottles. As the weather is becoming much warmer please send a water bottle into school for your child. No fruit juice please.</p>		<p>This term we will be learning how to create a card electronically using software programmes. We will then send the card to the Giant, from Jack, apologising for his actions. Alternatively the Giant may send the card to all the families he has eaten a member of, to apologise.</p>	<p>Every child has a reading record and a homework book. Please ensure that your child completes their homework each week. All homework is due on Tuesdays.</p> <p>Thank you to everyone who regularly reads with their child. We have lots of yr1 children earning reading badges!</p>

