



Topic Name: Understanding Others

Year Group: 2



As artists: We will be exploring using oil pastel to create images of poppies and other landscapes.

As scientists: we will be focusing on the changes of humans as we grow. We will also look at what we need to keep us healthy e.g., exercise and diet.

LITERACY

During RWI sessions children will learn new sounds and practise strategies for reading. In literacy this term children be using stories such as The Grinch and The Polar Express to draw inspiration from for creative writing. We will focus on description and making our writing more interesting

MATHS

This term we will be using mental and pictorial methods for addition and subtraction

We would be grateful if children could continue to focus on learning number bonds to 10, 20 and 100 and their 2x, 5x and 10x tables.

Grammar

We will begin learning about the past and present tense and suffixes such as ly, est, ful, less and ness.

RE

In our circle times we will discuss the below values stated in the SMSC box.

PE

Our focus this term will be gymnastics. Children will explore using their bodies to travel, using apparatus and making and performing routines.

Topic

In topic we will be learning about significant national figures such as Florence Nightingale and Edith Cavell. We will also be looking at all things Christmas and rehearsing for our nativity performance.

EXPERIENCES

- Cinema trip
- Nativity performance

SCHOOL THEME

'Understanding Others'

SMSC

empathy, tolerance, kindness, forgiveness, giving and respect.

COMMUNITY

Christingles at St Mary's Church