Term 1

English Writing

As writers we will be writing a narrative based on a strange creature.
We will also be writing a balanced argument on home-schooling.

English Reading

As readers we will be reading Skellig by David Almond

Maths

As mathematicians we will be looking at place value: number to 10million .
We will also be working on the 4 operations on whole numbers.

History

As historians we will be comparing Henry VIII and Elizabeth I, children learn about the changing nature of monarchy. They examine how monarchs tried to control their public images using portraits and royal progresses. Using Tudor inventories to investigate whether people were rich or poor, children learn what life was like for people in Tudor times.

Art

As artists we will be looking at Njdeka Akunyili Crosby taking inspiration from her art to create our own self portraits.

Science

As scientists we will be investigating living things and their habitats.

RE

In RE, we will be exploring Buddhism: Importance of RE, Questioning about Buddhism religion, Holy symbol and meanings behind, country Buddhism started from, founder story of the Buddhism religion, Buddhism Holy book, How Buddhism believe the World creation story, Buddhism Holy people, Buddhism Rules & Peace to live by. Make a buddha.

Computing

In Computing, we will be learn about the difference between the World Wide Web and the internet and understand what a LAN and a WAN are.

PSHE

As citizens we will discuss the year ahead, learn to set goals and discuss our fears and worries about the future. We will learn about the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child and that these are not met for all children worldwide. We will discuss choices and actions and how these can have far-reaching effects, locally and globally. We will learn about our own behaviour and how our choices can result in rewards and consequences and how we feel about this. We will explore an individual's behaviour and the impact it can have on a group. We will talk about democracy, how it benefits the school and how we can contribute towards it.

PE

As sporting stars, we will be developing our basketball skills. We will develop key skills and principles such as defending, attacking, throwing, catching, dribbling and shooting.

We will also be practising our golfing skills. We will develop skills and apply them to striking, chipping, putting and playing a short and long game. We will be gaining an understanding of the principles of golf and develop fluid movements that can be used in game situations. We might even create and design our own course.

Music

Happy

As musicians we will be developing melodic phrases. We will also be exploring how music brings us together.