

Science

We will be learning about animals including humans. The children will explore nutrition, healthy diets and the important jobs different nutrients do in our bodies. Throughout this topic we will explore the life cycles of different animals. We will also be learning about skeletons and muscles, discovering how they help our bodies move and stay supported.

Hedgehogs – Our topic is Healthy Me!

Overview

Our topic this term is *Healthy Me*, where we will be learning all about healthy lifestyles, wellbeing, exercise, nutrition, and ways to keep our minds and bodies healthy. We will have special visitors come in to school and finish with a healthy afternoon for parents!

DT

We will be focusing on Food Technology within our DT project work this term. The children will learn about healthy eating, particularly what makes a balanced meal and keeps our body energised. They will put their knowledge into practice through preparing and making delicious healthy foods such as fruit skewers and healthy wraps.

Music

Hedgehogs will have Katie developing their music skills this term. They will be focusing on pitch while also thinking about tempo. They will identify and perform high and low notes. Also they will discuss pitch and tempo within other pieces of music and ones they create.

Maths

During the first couple of weeks we will be developing our understanding of time further. After we will move on to shape, 2D and 3D, naming and drawing them, describing their features, learning about angles and lines. Finally, we will learn more about statistics.

Computing

We will be learning about branching databases, how they are used to sort and identify information, and how to create our own simple databases using yes/no questions. We will also explore how computers help us organise and find information quickly.

English

This term we will be using the text *The Zebra's Great Escape* by Katherine Rundell. To begin with we will spend some time learning the story and looking at the themes within the story. We will be planning our own escape and writing a narrative about this. We will continue to focus on our handwriting, positioning, size and joining.

PE

Year 3 will be continuing with swimming this term while year 2 develop their gymnastics skills. Both year groups will learn how to play rounders and the skills they will need to do this.

PSHE

The safer together project is the focus of this term's PSHE sessions. We will be identifying how to keep ourselves and others safe, how to make sensible choices and support one another.

