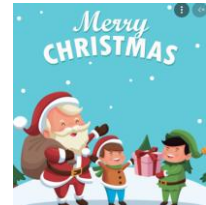




## Our Themes for the Autumn Term are:



### Religious Education

Our first unit is called Celebrating the Mass. We will be focusing on the different points of mass and their special meanings. Our second unit is called from Advent to Christmas. We will learn about Jesus and his birth.



### English

#### **Phonics and Reading (taught through the Little Wandle programme)**

- Recap of phase 2, 3 and 4 phonics
- Introduce phase 5 phonics
- Developing our knowledge of high frequency and tricky words
- Reading a range of texts - developing our understanding of both fiction, non-fiction and poetry

#### **Writing**

- Letter formation
- Handwriting patterns and letter families.
- Simple sentence structures: capital letters; finger spaces & full stops
- Applying our phonics when spelling and how to spell high frequency/tricky words



### Maths

- Read, recognise and write numbers to 10/20
- Order, compare and sequence numbers to 10/20
- Identify one more, one less than a given number
- Represent and use number bonds to 10
- Understand and use the addition, subtraction and equals symbols
- Double and half numbers within 20
- Identify, recognise and name 2D and 3D shapes





## Geography

This term we are learning about 'Where We Live' focusing on Ruislip and our capital city, London, as well as the United Kingdom as a whole.

We will be looking at the manmade and physical features of Ruislip and London as well as taking part in fieldwork, observational and map-work skills. We will also focus on the weather and climate of where we live, linked to our science topic on seasons.

## Science

This term we will be focusing on '**Animals including Humans**' looking at our bodies and senses.

We will also be looking at seasonal changes with a focus on Autumn.



## Computing

Our units this term will be Technology Around Us and Digital Painting. We will start to visit the computer suite.



## Art & design

In Art, we will focus on drawing; Exploring lines and shapes. Autumn 2: Painting and mixed media: Colour splash.

In Design Technology we will be using mechanics to create a sliding game and a moving pull along toy.

**Music** – We will be teaching using the Charanga Scheme. Our topics are Hey You! And Rhythm. We will be teaching pulse, rhythm and pitch as well as singing.



## PE

This half term the children will be participating in gymnastic lessons with Northwood Gymnastics, as well as outdoor PE and various sports and games. We will be aiming to improve the children's overall fitness, gross motor skills and stamina.



## TenTen RSHE

We will be learning about ourselves and how to live a healthy life. We will also be exploring our emotions and some strategies to regulate 'big' emotions. We will learn about life cycles.



## General Information:

Homework set:	Friday via WEDUC (due the following week)
Reading Books changed on:	Monday. Please bring bookbags to school on Mondays & Fridays.