

English

In English, we have a 30 minutes phonic/ spelling session daily where we will consolidate and further our phonic understanding and learn new spelling rules and patterns. What is learnt during these sessions will feed into our daily English lessons.

We will also have a specific spelling, punctuation and grammar lesson once a week which will then be embedded in future English sessions.

During our genre work, we will be writing non chronological reports, adventure stories and recounts.

We will also put our independent writing skills into practise during 'creative writing' which will be linked to Alice in Wonderland. These may include descriptive writing, instruction writing, invitations and letters and diary extracts.

PSHE

In PSHE this term, we will be thinking about how to develop a healthier and safer lifestyle: how to make simple choices that affect health and well-being; how to maintain personal hygiene and explore rules and ways of keeping safe including road safety and about people who can help us stay safe.

In SEAL and circle time we will be considering relationships.

Geography

This term, Geography will be linked to our science work. We will be exploring and investigating plants and trees in our local area.

Computing

In computing this term, we will learn how to record, save and edit using digital devices to make a 'TV Chefs' Video clip. The Queen of Hearts has demanded that we write and perform instructions for making jam tarts, to have at the Mad Hatter's tea party! We will be shown how to use technology safely and respectfully, keeping personal information private and identify where to go for help and support when we have concerns about content on the internet.

Art/DT

In DT this term, we will make a moving picture, using a sliding mechanism to demonstrate Alice falling down the rabbit hole! This term will also involve baking and food preparation whilst preparing treats for the end of term tea party.

Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Chestnut Class

Year 1

Summer

Term 5



Music

In music this term, we will be exploring instruments and symbols. We will be thinking about creating celebratory music which could be found at a tea party.

PE

This term we will begin practising for sports day and our fielding and striking skills. We will also continue outdoor and adventurous activities through forest school and there will also be some orienteering at the end of term tea party to find a surprise box!

Maths

In maths this term, we will learn about fractions of shapes and amounts. We will be revising the four operations on a weekly basis, linking our knowledge of inverse operations and commutativity. We will be learning about statistics and position and direction whilst out in the Forest. We will be looking at measurement of length, weight, capacity and temperature. Also, telling the time.

These will be taught in conjunction with learning vital number facts including counting in multiples of 2,3, 5 and 10, learning number bonds to 10, 20 and then 100 and we will focus on learning our 2, 3, 5 and 10 times table fluently.

RE

In RE this term, we will be considering why our World is special. We will discuss how we feel about the natural world. We will think about what songs, poems, prayers and stories say about God as a creator. We will also identify different ways to show what we think and believe about the World.

Science

In science this term we will have the chance to get outdoors and hunt for flowers and plants in the locality. We will identify wild and garden flowers; and deciduous and evergreen trees. We will carry out investigations to identify the best condition for seeds to grow.