## English

This term, we will be starting off by innovating the story of Little Red before looking at letters in The Day the Crayons Quit. Towards the end of the term, we will be writing instructions linked to a Christmas theme and looking at Poetry. We will solve What am I? riddles and create our own.

## PSHE

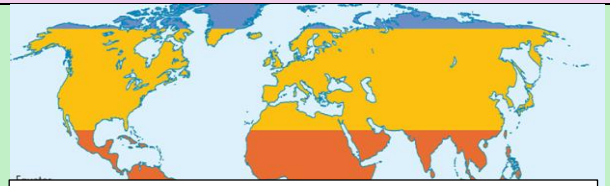
Our unit this term is called 'Valuing Differences'.
We will be exploring what makes us happy, people who are special to us, how we make other people feel and how to respond when someone is feeling left out. We will consider what an act of kindness might look like.

## Maths

We will continue to work on embedding our number bonds and understanding of place value. We will extend out knowledge of adding and subtracting two-digit numbers using base 10 to help and the column method in particular.
We will explore 2D and 3D shapes, learning names and identifying features.

## Geography

The children will begin by locating the continents. They will locate the North and South poles, which are the coldest places on earth. They will learn about the Equator and learn which countries sit close to it. They will research climates in different parts of the world and learn about the climate in the UK, making comparisons to other countries.



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Would you prefer to live in a hot or cold place?

## RE

We will continue to explore the theme 'What are sacred texts and why do they matter?'. This term the significance on the teaching of The Qur'an to Muslims will be reflected upon. The significance of the Night of Power and how it is celebrated will be taught. This term we begin to learn about Hinduism and the many sacred texts that have significance.

## PE

Both classes will do PE on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.
Tuesday will be gymnastics
Wednesday will be ball skills outdoors.
Please make sure school PE uniform is worn and earring removed on these days.
**On Thursdays we will do Mindfulness**
(normal uniform)

## Art

Continuing the sketching unit from term 1, the children will use sketching pencils to draw fine lines. For their final piece they will sketch one of their photos of something natural.

## DT

The children will design and make their own mechanism to include a lever.

## Important dates

11th November - Disco
13th November - Children in Need
9th December - Nativity (evening)
10th December - Nativity (afternoon)
15th December - Christmas art and crafts
17th December - Pantomime