### English:

Where possible our literacy work will be linked to our topic of 'living things'. We will be covering the Daily homework - Reading and Reading challenges. (See home reading book for more information)

Focusing on:

Cursive handwriting Paragraphs Interesting punctuation



Additional writing devices such as adverbial openers, using alliteration and similes.

### Music:

This term we will be focusing on playing the recorder and improving the fluency of playing B, A, G, F and E. If you have a recorder, please bring it to school on a Wednesday.

We will also enjoy learning about traditional instruments and exploring music from India.

### Science:

Our science topics are 'plants' and 'humans and other animals'. We will be investigating what plants need to survive with practical investigations to compare the skeletons of different animals.

### Computing:

This term the children will explore what it would like to be a publisher. They will learn how to input text, images and arrange their work to suit the needs of the project.

# **Religion and World Views**

'Sacred places' is our topic this term. We will be discovering what 'sacred' means and different places of worship.

# PSHE / RSE -

We will be looking at why we need to look after our bodies and the importance of a healthy diet, exercise and keeping clean. Next, we'll focus on 'money matters' and where money comes from and how we can look after it.

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# P.E:

Tigers Trust (Tuesday) Summer 1 - Cricket (Wednesdays) Summer 2 - Athletics (Thursday) Striking and fielding Sports Day preparation Focusing on: Knowing and applying rules. Playing fairly.

### French:

The Very Hungry Caterpillar, numbers, days of the week, fruits, food. Developing memory and practicing pronunciation. Pupils retell the story in any verbal format with pictures, with video, or with video and subtitles.



## Maths:

We will follow the White Rose Maths scheme focusing on the four operations. We'll also be covering fractions, measures, statistics, shape and time.

The children will be using all these skills to be mathematical detectives and solve reasoning problems.

Daily homework - Times Table Rockstars. (10 minutes per day)

We are focusing on the 2,3,4,6 and 8 times tables.



# Art/Design Technology:

Our focus artist is Hockney and we will be recreating some of his iconic East Yorkshire landscapes. The Art homework for this half term, will be to recreate a leaf - please see instructions on Seesaw

In design technology we will be designing and creating a healthy meal.

# Geography:

This term we have an epic adventure... we are super excited about our **Westfield On Tour**. We cannot divulge any more surprises just yet but we know your children are going to love being transported somewhere else in this fascinating world that we call planet Earth. (Please note we will not need any actual passports for this adventure...but we may be making some!) The children will deepen their knowledge about different continents, habitats, climates and ways humans use the land to survive. Let's get ready to explore the world!

