# **ENGLISH**

In English, we will be reading traditional tales. These will include Little Red Riding Hood, Rumpelstiltskin and Hansel and Gretel. We will be describing the characters and settings within the stories as well as having a go at writing our own letters and diary entries.

### **MATHS**

This half term we will be consolidating our knowledge of place value within 20, counting objects and finding one more and one less. We will be counting forwards and backwards and comparing numbers and quantities. We will also be consolidating our knowledge of addition and subtraction within 10 and extending this to 20.

### SCIENCE

In Science we will learn about the basic needs that all humans need to survive and live. We will study the importance of exercise, a healthy diet and good hygiene as ways to keep us healthy. We will also look at offspring of different animals and how they develop and change into adults as they grow.

# RE

This half term we will be learning about and considering our own ideas about belonging. We will learn about how we can care for each other and will also talk about the Christian Baptism ceremony.

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## COMPUTING

We will learn how to log on to the computer independently and operate simple programs. We will learn to navigate around the keyboard and begin to learn to type using a word processing package. Children will be using paint via purple mash to paint themselves and their families.

### **GEOGRAPHY**

In Geography we will be looking at the coastal features of the United Kingdom. We will use aerial photographs and maps to identify both human and physical coastal features.

# PSHE/RSE

This half term we will be learning about valuing differences. We will be talking about what makes us who we are, as well as people who are special to us.

### PE

We will be developing our dance skills following the topic of 'Themes and Dreams'.

### MUSIC

In Music, we will sing songs, chants and rhymes.

We will listen with concentration and
understanding to a range of live and recorded
music. We will play a range of percussion
instruments.

## <u>ART</u>

This half term we will be looking at the work of Natalie Pascoe and Joanne Wishart. We will be using watercolours and other media to create pictures based on the seaside.

# **READING**

We will read our Little Wandle phonetically decodable books in small groups. We will also be enjoying our 3pm read sharing a book picked by a different child each day.