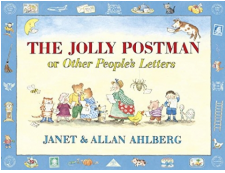


English	Maths	PSHE and Life Skills
<p>This term's Talk for Writing key focus text is ' The Jolly Postman' <i>Janet and Allan Ahlberg</i></p> <p>Pupils will learn all about letter writing, including format and formal and informal writing.</p>  <p>GPS learning will include :</p> <p>We will be focusing on rhyming words, word families and simple letter patterns.</p> <p>High frequency words Sentences of different forms: statement, question, exclamation and command</p> <p>In phonics , we will be working on our phase 5 alternative sounds in phonics.</p>	<p>We will continue to work using the Mastering Number scheme, developing a Mastery approach, whereby pupils will develop a deep and secure knowledge of number relationships and knowledge that can be used to support fluency and problem solving.</p> <p>Pupils will continue to develop their ability to talk about their numbers and explain their mathematical thinking.</p> <p>We will also cover multiplication and division. We will have a measurement focus, exploring mass and capacity. and a focus on statistics.</p>	<p>Comets will continue to use the Zones of Regulation across the school. In our PSHE lessons, we will be continuing to follow the program 'Zippy's friends'. We will continue to follow the story of Zippy the stick insect and explore the feelings of the characters along the way, learning techniques for self regulation in different situations, sharing their own experiences and thoughts.</p> <p>Cooking - we will begin to follow a recipe, using appropriate utensils and measuring skills to prepare cakes . Comets will be making Filled and flavoured Cupcakes (Chocolate chip, cherry Dried fruit, carrot, banana) .Plain fruit and cheese scones and adding flavoured frosting.</p> <p>Life - skills - We will be linking this learning to taking turns as part of our life skills.</p>
Understanding The World	<p>Comets Planning - Spring 2 2023</p> <p>Who lives there?</p> <p>This half term we are thinking about our community, our own homes and where others live.</p>	Computing
<p>This half term we will be conducting a: historical or own home Different types of houses Hampton Court Key buildings in the UK and their locations. We will use simple fieldwork and observational skills to study the geography of school/a local landmark, focusing on the key human and physical features.</p> <p>In RE we will be finding out more about Easter, Holi and Passover.</p>		<p>In Computing we will be learning about communication. We will be creating ebooks , posters and presentations using software such as clicker books, create a digital piece combining sound and images, inserting sounds and images to create a desired effect.</p> <p>Programming & Algorithms - continuing our work on algorithms by sorting materials and writing/following algorithms to launch a trebuchet or build a simple castle and manoeuvring a Bee-bot on a mat with castles or dragons</p>
Science	PE	Expressive Arts and Design
<p>Scientists and Inventors</p> <p>We will be learning all about some of the significant scientists and their discoveries. We will learn about the work of doctor Elizabeth Garrett Anderson, the first woman doctor in England and the invention of biomes, such as those used at the Eden project. We will also recreate some famous experiments, making observations and testing ideas.</p> <p>Seasonal changes - Spring</p> <p>We will be continuing to make observations about changes over time to see how the world around us changes in each season. We will measure, record and collect data about the different Spring plants as a class and add them to our floor book.</p>	<p>This half term's focus will be :</p> <p>Multi skills</p> <p>Bilateral Coordination: using two hands, scooter boards, pulling along benches, and motor skills.</p> <p>We will develop motor planning through multi skills by exploring circuits, obstacle courses and sequencing our movements.</p>	<p>Art - Drawing using pencil, wax, chalk, ink, pen and brushes. We will begin to select different materials for different effects when drawing e.g. cross hatching and to make observational drawings with attention to detail. We will begin to consider how shading makes an object look like it has a shadow. Artist study will be Dapo Adeola the illustrator.</p> <p>Music - Pitch We will explore pitch and begin to recognise movement from high to low or low to high sounds. We will begin to track obvious changes in pitch and consider how this might tell a story over time.</p>