



Cedar Class Spring Term 2 2022

LITERACY

As Writers, Cedar Class will be writing to entertain, creating a final outcome of writing their own ending to 'The Blue Umbrella'. The children will be exposed to a range of skills to include in their writing as they 'stack sentences' together as a class to write a narrative version of the short Pixar film 'The Blue Umbrella'. The skills will be transferred into their independent writing when they write their own ending.

MATHS

As Mathematicians, Cedar Class will be developing their mathematical thinking this half term as they consolidate, and develop, their understanding of using money, calculating length and working with fractions. The children will apply their mathematical thinking using concrete, pictorial and abstract representations, answering fluency and problem solving questions based upon a range of contexts.

RE

In RE, our learning will focus on the question 'How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?'. The children will be introduced to the Five Pillars and they will explore Shahadah, Salah and Sawm in more depth, deepening their understanding of the beliefs of a Muslim.

SCIENCE

As Scientists, the children will be learning about Living Things and their Habitats. The Year 2 children will be exploring and investigating the different ways animals can be grouped and the habitats they are suited to. The children in Year 3 and 4 will revisit this, and build on their learning through using a classification key to classify living things and considering the dangers posed to living things in their habitats as the environments change.

MUSIC

In music, the children will be following the learning platform Charanga as they focus on the unit 'The Dragon Song'. The children will be exploring new, and developing prior, musical skills.

GEOGRAPHY

As Geographers, the children will be learning about the structure of the Earth, volcanoes and earthquakes. The children will explore what volcanoes and earthquakes are, how they form, where they are located and the impact on those living in the surrounding areas.

Relationships, Health and Education

In RHE, the Year 2 children will be focusing on 'Living in the Wider World' this half term. The Year 3 and 4 children will be focusing on 'Belonging to a Community' this half term.

PE

In PE, the children will be working with our Sports Partnership to develop their skills through taking part in tag rugby out on the field with Mr Kirk.