

Reading

In English, we will be reading *The Secret Garden* by Frances Hodgson Burnett.

Each week there will be lessons on:

- *Reading each chapter.
- *Find & retrieving answers from the text.
- *Thinking about characters, feelings.
- *Thoughts and actions.
- *Vocab and meanings of words from each chapter.

Sow, Grow and Farm



Writing

We will be...

Writing a persuasive text based on *The Paperbag Prince* by Colin Thompson.

Writing poems based on *African Animals*.

To write an information text about Jean-Michel Basquiat suitable for an art gallery, based on *Radiant Child* by Javaka Steptoe.

Maths:

We will deepen our understanding of:

Shape

Position and Direction

Decimals and Negative Numbers

Converting units

Volume

R.E.

In the Summer term, we will be asking 'What matters most to humanists and Christians?'

Music

The children will be composing music to represent the festival of colour (Holi Festival).

PE

Hockey
Athletics (BeeActive)

Art and Design

Children will create portraits through painting and mixed media. They will also create their own installations through 3D sculpture.

In Design and Technology, the children will make a vegetarian Chilli in their cookery unit.

In **Computing**, we will learn to create games and explore 3D modelling.

PSHE

Relationships

Self-recognition and self-worth
Building self-esteem
Safer online communities
Rights and responsibilities online
Online gaming and gambling
Reducing screen time
Dangers of online grooming
SMART internet safety rules

Changing me

Self- and body image
Influence of online and media on body image
Puberty for girls
Puberty for boys

Growing responsibility
Coping with change
Preparing for transition

Science

In the Human Reproduction and Ageing project, your child will learn what life cycles are, order the stages of life cycles for different animal species and compare them. They will learn what mammals are and the five key mammalian characteristics.

They will learn about the stages and processes of the human life cycle. They will learn about human gestation from embryo to birth. They will investigate how humans change and develop from infant to adolescence in the juvenile stage. They will interpret data about human growth and learn about the human reproductive system.

History and Geography

In the Sow, Grow and Farm project, your child will learn about allotments in the United Kingdom and how the government encouraged people to have them to support food rationing during the Second World War. They will have the opportunity to learn about farming in the United Kingdom and the techniques used in modern farming, including the challenges that farmers face. They will learn about the benefits of eating seasonally and about the pros and cons of importing food. They will also learn about world farming and how the different climate zones affect where different foods can be grown.