

## **English**

Our English topic will be focused around the book 'Mighty Red'. Children will be looking at wishing stories and information texts based on Liverpool. They will also explore sentence work, punctuation, adjectives, conjunctions and antonyms. There will also be huge focus on phonics throughout this half term as we continue to follow our Read, Write, Inc phonics, reading and spellings.

## **Geography**

In Geography this half term children will explore Liverpool. They will look closely at 'What is special about Liverpool?'. We will discuss famous buildings, Liverpool's location and other cities in the United Kingdom.

## **Maths**

For maths, we will continue to focus on basic skills and apply their knowledge of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division in order to problem solve. We will be practising written and mental methods for the four operations. We will also ensure children regularly practice their 2,5 and 10 times tables.

## **R.E**

For RE we will focus on Christmas celebrations. Children will explore different celebrations and how Christmas is celebrated as we run up to the festive period.



## **Year 2 Home/School Sheet**

**Autumn 2 2023**

## **Computing**

In computing this term children will explore problem Robot Algorithms. They will explore how computers follow instructions and use the Beebots to see how they work.

## **PSHE**

In PHSE we will explore 'celebrating our differences'. Children will discuss and explore why being different can be a positive thing.

## **Music**

We will be using Charanga to explore music themes

## **Science**

In Science children will explore 'What plants need to grow?' through planting their own seeds, observing over time and identifying the key elements of ensuring what it takes to a plant can survive. Children will investigate the best conditions for growing plants by completing a fair test investigation.

## **Art**

During Art this term we will be focusing on collage work, specifically Tula Moon. Children will explore the work of Tula Moon and critique what they like and dislike about the paintings. They will create their own collage in the style of Tula Moon.

## **PE**

PE day is Thursday and this term LSSP will be teaching gymnastics. Children need to bring in suitable footwear for the lesson. Please can children label their uniforms to avoid losing items.

Reading books will be given out Monday to return on Friday.