

Dear Parents,

Summer 1st Half 2021

Here is our topic for this half term. Please use it to support your children's learning.

As Scientists we will:

- Ask simple scientific questions.
- Use equipment to carry out tests and make observations.
- Suggest what we have found out.

As Authors we will:

- Learn to write a letter and postcard.
- Write about where we live and compare it to Katie Morag's home.

As Mathematicians we will:

- Learn about height and length and how we can measure them.
- Explore and measure weight and volume.
- Practice our numbers to 50 and continue to deepen our understanding of place value.
- Start multiplication and division.
- Discuss our learning with others using mathematical vocabulary.

As Athletes we will:

- Take part in weekly indoor and outdoor P.E lessons.

The Big Question:

Where does Katie Morag live and is it more exciting than Devon?

As Readers we will:

- Share and enjoy Katie Morag stories and talk about her home and ours.
- Explore a variety of fiction and non-fiction books.

As Geographers we will:

- Learn how to describe our local area using the right vocabulary.
- Explore how we use maps and make our own.
- Compare where we live and identify the similarities and differences.
- Find North, South, East and West.
- Practice using directional language to direct each other during games.

As Citizens we will:

- Learn about our rights to play.
- Relax, play and take part in a wide range of cultural and artistic activities.
- Talk about our needs and responsibilities within our smaller and wider community.
- Think of ideas about how we can contribute to our local community.

As Artists we will:

- Explore and sort materials.
- Experiment with how we can use these materials to create a collage.

As Programmers we will:

- Learn how to make basic algorithms to programme our BeeBot's to complete a specific route.