

English	Mathematics
We will begin our half term by looking at Haiku and Tanka Poems, while learning the skills to create our own. Our non-fiction unit will focus on using headings and sub-headings to organise information in a non-chronological report. Finally, we will develop and apply creative writing skills to create our own warning story.	This half term we will continue to learn multiplication and division skills, focusing on the 3, 4 and 8 times table. We will learn how to use written method calculations. Following this, we will begin learning about measuring money.
Art & Design	Computing
This half term we will be focusing on developing our drawing skills. We will experiment with how we can use shade and tone to add detail to our work. For inspiration, we will be learning about the Japanese artist 'Katsushika Hokusai'.	In Computing, we are learning how to use our email addresses and share and edit databases. We continue to use simple search technologies and use input and output devices efficiently.
Design & Technology	Geography
Our Spring DT topic focuses on understanding the mechanical systems in toys. Through this project, we will understand how linkages, levers and pneumatic systems create movement before designing and producing a functional moving toy.	Next half term we will be focusing on 'Geographical Skills and Fieldwork' in our Geography lessons. We will be looking at maps, using simple keys, introducing grid references, as well as using the eight points of a compass. We will also apply our skills in an outdoor woodland walk in Plessey Woods.
History	Music
In History, we continue our journey through The Stone Age to The Iron Age, focusing on the transition from the Bronze to Iron Age. We will be looking at how Britain changed during these time periods by asking and answering questions about the past.	This half term we will begin to learn the chime bars, building upon previous notation work, rhythm reading and accuracy in playing. We will also start to introduce improvisation using the chime bars.
Personal Social Health & Economic education (PSHE)	Physical Education (PE)
Our PSHE topic is 'Safety and The Changing Body'. We will look at first aid, how to keep ourselves safe and call for help. We will also understand how to manage our own boundaries and understand our influences.	This half term our PE focus is 'Dance'. We will be creating motifs from different stimuli as well as comparing and adapting movements to create larger sequences. We will be working both independently, in pairs and in groups.
Religious Education (RE)	Science
In RE, we will be learning about 'Christian Churches' and how Christians make a difference in their community. We will also look at how Christians use the church to show their beliefs and the discuss the different roles within the church.	Our Science topic is 'Light and Shadows'. We will recognise that we need light in order to see things, and understand that darkness is the absence of light. We will look at reflection, shadows and investigate how to protect our eyes from the sun. We will visit the Discovery Museum.
In KS2 we learn French in our Modern Foreign Languages Curriculum (MFL)	
In our French lessons this half term we will be beginning the topic 'Me and My Family'. We will be continuing to learn how to talk about ourselves and our family. We will begin to recognise that nouns have different genders and learn how to identify these. We will also learn and perform a French version of 'Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes'!	