English

As readers and writers we will:

- Read a range of texts about dragons
- Write a character description of a dragon based on the short video ‘Marshmallows’
- Write instructions about how to look after a baby dragon
- Write a recount of a young dragon’s day at school
- Spend an hour a day learning phonics using Read, Write, Inc
- Incorporate the Year 2 SPaG objectives in our writing journeys

Maths

As mathematicians, we will learn about place value and addition and subtraction:

Place value
Numbers to 20
Numbers to 100
Tens and ones
Partitioning
Number lines to 100
Compare and order numbers
Count in 2s, 5s, 10s and 3s

Addition and Subtraction
Bonds to 10 and fact families
Bonds to 100
Add and subtract 1s
Add by making 10
Add 3 1-digit numbers
Add to the next 10
Add across a 10
Subtract across a 10
Subtract from a 10
Subtract a 1-digit number from a 2-digit number

Science

As scientists we will be learning all about materials and their uses.

This half term we will:

- Sort materials by their use
- Describe some properties of materials
- Learn where materials come from
- Learn about recycling
- Investigate floating and sinking
- Investigate waterproof materials
- Use our learning to make a boat

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Significant Buildings Around the World

<u>History</u>
As historians:

This half term we will:

- Learn about different buildings and why they were built
- Find out about castles
- Learn about religious buildings
- Explore buildings meant for defence or entertainment

<u>P.S.H.E.</u>
In PSHE this term, we are learning about ‘Me and My Relationships’.

<u>R.E.</u>
Our RE question this term is 'What do Hindus celebrate?’

<u>P.E.</u>
We will be learning about PE fundamentals and invasion games.

<u>Geography</u>
As geographers:

This half term we will:

- Look at buildings in the local area
- Learn about the countries and cities in the UK
- Learn about the continents and oceans
- Use atlases and maps to locate famous buildings

<u>Art</u>
As artists:

This half term we will:

- Sketching spirals, snails and shells
- Learning about Molly Haslund
- Using different sketching materials

<u>Music</u>
In music we will be learning about the instruments of the orchestra.

<u>Computing</u>
In computing we will be learning about IT in the world around us,exploring how it is used in homes and places such as shops, libraries and hospitals.