 

 **LITERACY**

**Our literacy work will include:**

* Writing character descriptions
* Developing adventurous and imaginative vocabulary and using this in writing
* Understanding how to vary the sentences we write
* Writing across the curriculum – linked to our topics
* Being accurate in spelling

 

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Friday 15thApril – KS1 trip to Theatre Royal, Plymouth

18th / 19th April – parents’ evenings

Weeks commencing 16th and 23rd May – SATs



**This term we are going to be exploring:**

**Science**: Investigations: growing plants

 **Art/DT:** Dartmoor art especially work by Adam Bunce

 **History/Geography**: Using maps including symbols and coordinates

**Music:** Improvising with voices and instruments, singing, exploring reggae

**PSHE:** How are we similar to and different from others? Conflict resolution

**ICT:** Writing algorithms for action

**PE:** Sequencing balances using apparatus

**MATHS**: This term, we will be learning to:

* Count in 2s, 3s and 5s from 0
* Use the most efficient way to add and subtract two 2-digit numbers
* Solve problems using multiplication and division
* Find fractions of numbers
* Know the 2x, 3x, 5x and 10x tables off by heart

**P.E.**

* Ball skills – throwing, catching and batting
* Balance and coordination
* Playing as part of a team



**LOVING READING**

Sharing reading with your child is invaluable – think about the character’s personality, what he likes / dislikes, his mannerisms, his appearance and what you think of him.



**RE**



* Jesus as the light of the world
* Symbols in Christianity
* Symbols in Judaism

**Please make sure all clothing including PE kit is clearly labelled with your child’s name.**

* **With summer coming, it is important your child brings a water bottle to school every day. A hat for playtimes is also a good idea.**

**HOMEWORK:**

**SET ON FRIDAY: IN ON WEDNESDAY**

**SPELLING TEST ON FRIDAY**

**DAILY READING FOR AT LEAST 10 MINUTES**

Our **Skill for Success** this half term is

**CO-OPERATION – Let’s Work Together!**