



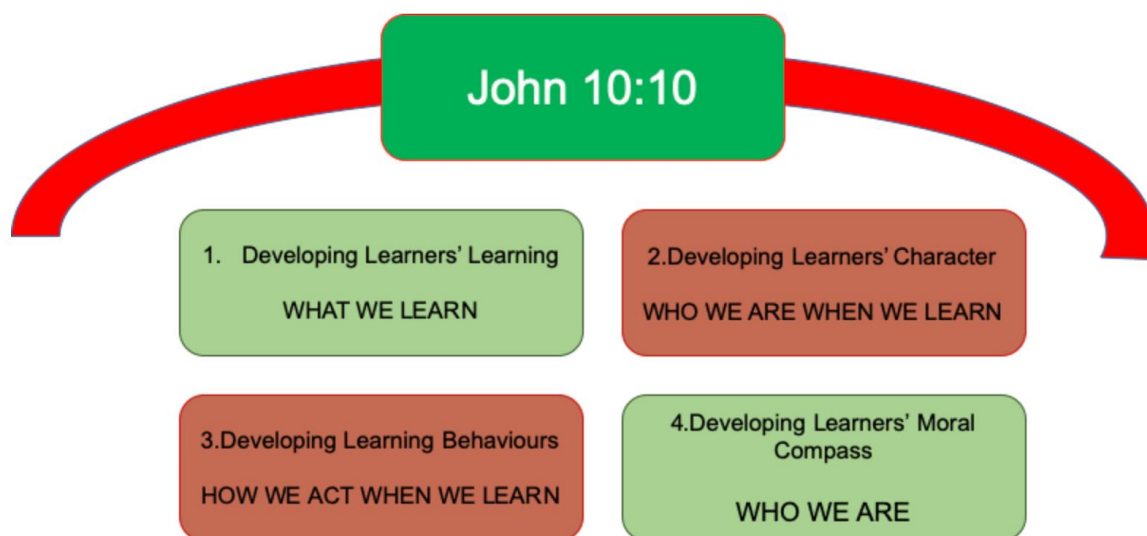
## What is my child learning this half term?

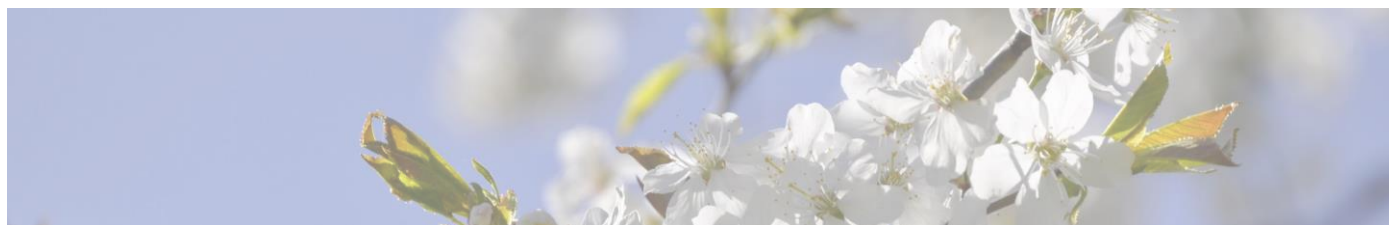
Our curriculum is the beating heart of our school and is rooted in

John 10:10

*“I came that they might have life and live it to the full”*

Within our vision *‘together we grow, together we flourish’* our children will develop a love of learning and be totally immersed in different worlds, cultures and times preparing them for the next stage of their lives.





<b>Spring 1</b>	<b>Year 1/2</b>
<b>Class Novel</b>	<b>Each class will be choosing their own class novel this half term.</b>
<b>Writing</b>	The children this term will be continuing to build upon their reading and writing skills during our daily Read Write Inc sessions. Those who have finished Read Write Inc will be exploring non-fiction texts and writing a non-chronological report.
<b>Maths</b>	In our Year 1 maths lessons this half term, we will be extending our learning from last term by exploring numbers to 20. We will be thinking about how these numbers are constructed and introducing the concept of tens and ones. We will then move on to using these numbers in addition and subtraction. In our Year 2 maths lessons, we will be starting multiplication and learning about arrays. We will be using our 2,5 and 10 times tables and learning the 3 times table.
<b>Science</b>	This half term we will be looking at the human body and focusing particularly on our five senses and the body part associated with these.
<b>RE</b>	This half term we will be finding out about 'Who is Jewish?' and 'What it means to be Jewish?' We will be learning about Shabbat and the festival of Hanukkah.'
<b>Geography</b>	This half term we will be focusing on exploring our local area. This will begin by looking at our classroom and then be extended to include our school grounds. We will be thinking about aerial views and then incorporate this into learning about maps.
<b>PE</b>	Our indoor P.E. will be focusing on dance. We will be thinking about interpreting the music and creating our own routines. Outdoor P.E this half term, will be focusing on high 5 netball skills and will begin to develop throwing and catching skills.
<b>RHE</b>	In PSHE, we are learning to celebrate our dreams and goals. We will be looking at how we stay motivated in everything we do, celebrating each other's successes and exploring how to have a positive attitude.
<b>Forest School</b>	This half term, Forest Schools will be used alongside our Geography and Art learning to help the children explore their local natural environment by creating their own Kingdom from natural materials. The children will also look at this from an aerial perspective and combine it with journey sticks which is another mapping method.
<b>Music</b>	Our music this half term, will be based on a song specifically written to teach the children about different styles of music. It has been arranged into 6 different styles; blues, baroque, latin, bhanga, folk and funk.

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<b>Art</b>	This half term we will be looking at 'Nature Sculptures' with Andy Goldsworthy. We will be using a range of materials creatively to design and make products. Focusing on sculpture and colour. I am very excited to see our wonderful outcomes.
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