

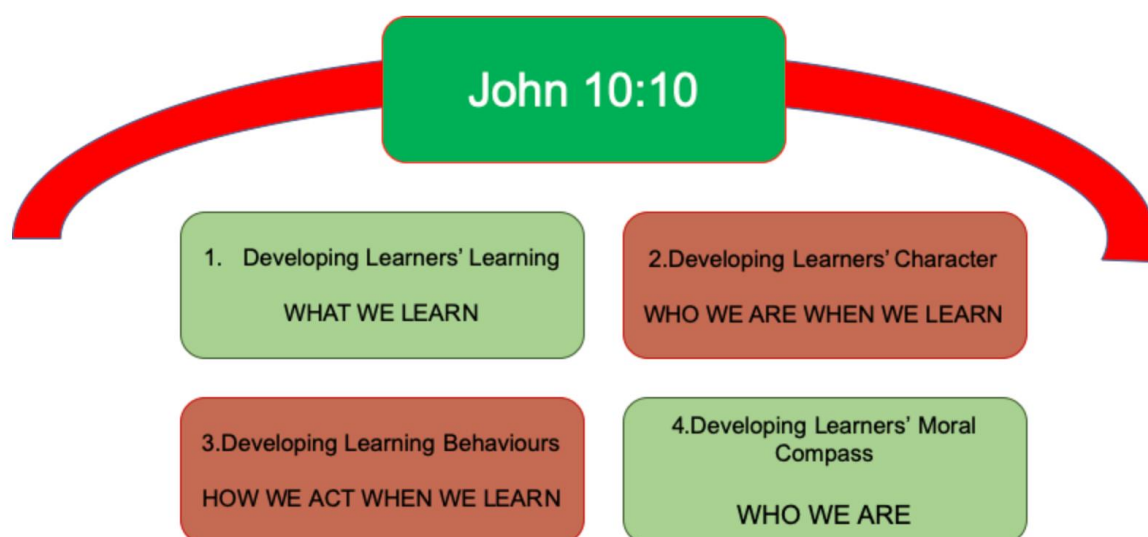


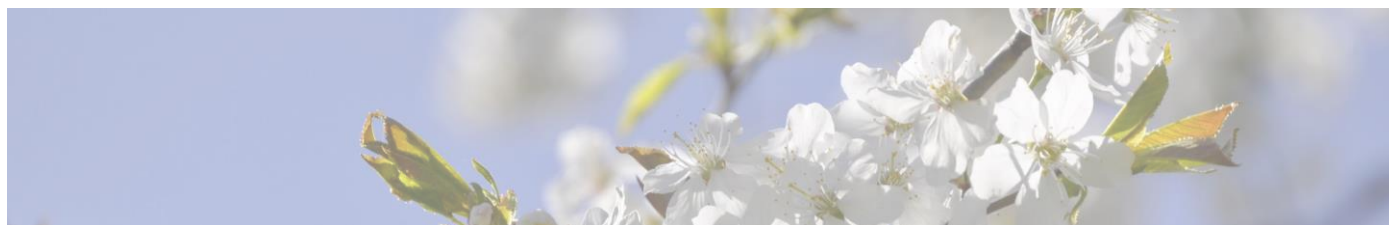
What is my child learning this half term?

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.





Summer 1	Year 1/2
Class Novel	Swallows – Rabbit and Bear Starlings- The Incredible Adventures of Gaston Le Dog Kingfishers- The Boy Who Grew Dragons
Writing	<p>In Read, Write Inc this half term the children will continue to learn and revise their set 1, 2 and 3 sounds. In each group, they will explore a text related to their reading levels and sounds that they are learning. They will progress into composing descriptive sentences, questions, speech and thought bubbles and short narratives both orally and written.</p> <p>The children who have graduated into the Literacy group will be writing letters based on the fabulous book 'The Day the Crayons Quit'. Our letters will be directed to the class' glue stick which will be going on strike due to bad treatment. Please come back glue sticks!</p>
Maths	<p>In year 1 this half term, we will be continuing with our place value to 50. We will then begin to explore length, height, mass, and volume. We will learn to measure using different apparatus including rulers, cubes, jugs and scales.</p> <p>Year 2 children will be learning to add and subtract amounts of money. Once we are confident counting and finding totals, we will be solving problems involving addition, subtract, multiplication and division.</p>
Science	<p>In science we will be exploring materials. The children will learn to identify and name materials of different objects, and sort and classify them depending on their properties.</p>
RE	<p>In RE, we will be answering the question, 'Who do Christians say made the world?'. The children will explore the creation story, what it means and why it is important during harvest time.</p>
Geography	<p>In Geography this term we will be learning to identify the continents and oceans of the world. The children will be able to label the different parts and use a compass to describe where each continent and ocean is in relation to one and other and where they are in the world i.e. north, south, east, west.</p>
PE	<p>In PE this half term, we will be learning the skills of tennis and hockey. The children will learn skills such as defending and attacking using a ball, and how to move around the pitch/courts effectively. They will begin to develop their hand eye coordination with their racket and how to reflect on their own skills and goals.</p>
RHE	<p>In RHE this term we are exploring how to look after our physical and mental wellbeing. We will consider how the food we eat and the physical activity we do can support us. We will also look at keeping ourselves clean and staying safe in the sun.</p>

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Forest School	This half term years 1 and 2 will be busy sowing seeds in the garden and learning how to care for them; we are sowing varieties to crop later on in the Autumn term. They will also be looking at the properties of natural materials to support their scientific understanding. And we will be using natural materials to create wild art sculptures inspired by Andy Goldsworthy.
Music	In Music, the theme this half term is 'Your Imagination'. We will explore the songs in the musical by The Monkees. The children will learn to spot verses and choruses in songs, and play the notes G, E & C on the glockenspiel.
Art	In Art this term our focus artist will be Andy Goldsworthy. We will be spending a lot of time outside gathering natural materials to create sculptures which make use of skills such as layering, colour matching, and creating spirals and circles!