

Maple and Elm Parent Information Letter Spring 1 2023

Literacy

We will be focusing on a book this half term related to our topic of traditional tales. We will spend lots of time reading the book together, completing many activities to develop our understanding of new vocabulary and the themes within the story.

R.E. This half term we will be looking at features of the church, what a church is and symbols that can be found in a church. We will also visit a church as part of this topic.

Geography This half term we will be looking at human and physical features. We will then learn about maps and create our own map. We will use beebots to understand directions and to also learn about coordinates.

D&T

This half term we will be looking at textiles. We will be making a bag. We will be joining felt together using stitching.

Once Upon A Time



ICT

We will continue to follow the 'Purple Mash' scheme of work. We will be creating algorithms and learn about the functionality of the direction keys.

PE We will be developing our skills in basketball.

P.H.S.E

This half term the theme is 'Dreams and Goals'.

We follow the 'JIGSAW' scheme and will look at our strengths and achievements and discussing how these make us feel. We will also think about how our strengths make us a good learner. We will think about working together in groups and how we can do this well.

Numeracy

We will be continuing to do addition and subtraction. This involves adding and subtracting crossing the ten and not crossing the ten. We will also be looking at height and length. This involves measuring, comparing and ordering.