

Y2 Newsletter

Unity in the Community

Theme Overview

"Unity in the Community" is a unit about the area you live in, with a geography focus. We will develop geographical skills, local knowledge and understanding through learning about school, the features of its grounds, the surrounding area and how it has changed over time. We will learn all about the importance of acting responsibly within both the school and the wider community.

Maths

In Maths we will be learn all about place value and begin learning strategies for adding and subtracting 2-digit numbers.

PSHE

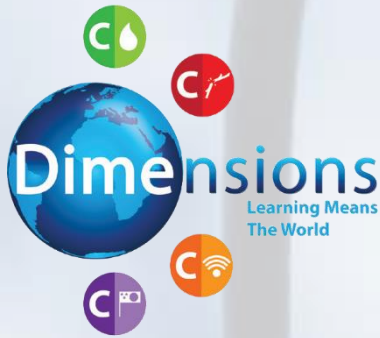
In PSHE we will be learning about how to stay safe on the roads in our area and about how we belong to different communities.

Computing

In computing we will discover how to use Scratch for animation.

Music

In Music we will learn how to use signs to create compositions. We will learn how to match signs to different sounds using our voices and instruments.



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Art

In art we will be learning about César Manrique and making wind spinners.

English

In English we will be writing poems, information texts about our area and trying to write our own versions of some well known stories.

Dance

We will explore buildings, areas and features of the school and local area, taking photographs that will help us to create short compositions.

Science

We will learn about plants and how they grow. We will also look at food chains.

Speaking and Listening

We will play charades to describe a location without using the name. We will spot differences and be able to explain them in feedback, using precise description to enable comprehension by listeners.

Important dates:

Tuesday 8th October: Early parents' evening
Thursday 10th October: Late parents' evening
W/C Monday 21st October: REACH week
Thursday 24th October: Last day at school

We will also be going on many walks around our local area to explore different features – all adults have already given permission for local area walks so we will not need any further letters!