



THEME: Settlements- Why do living things settle where they do?

HOMEWORK

The children will be given a pick and mix task and weekly spelling. Please encourage your child to read daily as well.

PE

Focus this term- Cricket & Dance

PE Kits- Please ensure children have their PE kits in school every day.

PSHE

Children will be exploring relationships. How friendships are formed and what the features of a positive relationship are. Children will also be learning about loss and how our memories can be a positive aspect in continuing to remember relationships.

The children will also continue to explore 'The Zones of Regulations.'

RE

In RE, the children will be exploring '**what make them special**' They will be linking this to their immediate families and influential people in their communities and around the world and their religions.

LITERACY

In Literacy the children will be writing a children's book from an animal's perspective focusing on the issue of litter. The children will look at a wide range of picture books and discuss the features that they have. They will discuss the impact litter has on the environment around them and how it affects the wildlife. The children will also think of ways in which we can help tackle litter.

READING

We will be reading the Iron Woman. Children will be using a range of questioning to develop their understanding of the key text. Using retrieval, inference and literal questioning will help to develop their ability to answer questions effectively and efficiently.

HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY

In Geography this term the children will be looking at 'Settlements'. Are all settlements the same? Describing and understanding key aspects of physical and human geography.

FRENCH

The children will be learning about '**shopping for food**'. They learn French vocabulary associated with food items.

MATHS

This term children will explore fractions greater than 1. They will compare and order mixed numbers using fraction sense. Pupils will also explore improper and proper fractions and use their knowledge of subtraction and addition to choose correct and efficient approaches when subtracting and adding mixed numbers.

CREATIVE ARTS

This half-term, the children will be looking at biscuits originating from different regions of the UK.

They will be sampling, evaluating and designing their own 'Dagenham' biscuit.

SCIENCE

We will be exploring living things, including humans. We will be focusing on food chains and how living things are interdependent on each other. We will also explore the impact of human behaviours on our ecosystem.

COMPUTING

The children will develop their understanding of how digital images can be changed and edited, and how they can then be resaved and reused. They will consider the impact that editing images can have and evaluate the effectiveness of their choices.