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Maths:

We will be focusing on multiplication and division. We will consolidate our understanding of the 2s, 5s and 10s before moving on to learning the 3s, 4s and 8s. We will learn different strategies to solve problems with multiplication and division.



Science: Physics/**Biology**/Chemistry

We will be learning about humans and animals and our similarities and differences, about how we have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement. We will be learning about types and amount of nutrition, and that they cannot make their own food; they get nutrition from what they eat.



Kestrels
Year 3

History:

Our focus is Ancient Mesopotamia, children will learn about the land between two rivers, how settlements arose, what daily life was like, how early writing and trade developed, and how this civilization compares with Ancient Egypt.

Geography:

Our focus is mountains, children will learn what makes a mountain, discover some of the world's most famous mountain ranges, and understand how mountains affect climate.



RE:

Our focus is Hinduism, children will learn a range of Hindu stories and all about Hindu beliefs and festivals.

Physical Education:



Our PE lessons are on a Wednesday and a Thursday with Mr Blacker. Our lessons will focus on gymnastics and dance.

PSHE & Wellbeing:

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Art – sculpture and abstract shape:

This term we will focus our teaching on how to transform 2D card shapes into three-dimensional structures and sculptures.



Computing:

We will be learning about networks and how devices communicate.

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This half term we will be looking at the question: How has shopping changed over time? Throughout the unit, we will explore how shopping and payment has changed over time.

RE:

We will be looking at the question: What do candles mean to people? We will be exploring beliefs about what candles mean to other people and reflecting on the similarities and differences between festivals



Maths:

In our math lessons we will be consolidating our learning of numbers to 10, including addition and subtraction within 10. We will then move on to develop our understanding of 2D and 3D shapes alongside making patterns using these shapes.



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Year 2

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