

In English we will be focussing on:

- **Narratives**—we will be looking at how we can improve our sentences to create exciting stories.
- We will be building skills learnt in year 1, ensuring that they are Secure.



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Our enquiry is:
What is the geography
of where I live like?

In maths we will be focussing on:

- Numbers to 100
- Addition and Subtraction



In RE we will be focussing on:

- **Judaism**

Why do Jewish families talk about repentance at New Year?

In Science we will be focussing on:

Properties/changing materials

Compare suitability of materials to their uses and the impact of changing their shape.

During our enquiry we will be focussing looking deeper at the following questions:

- What is geography all about
- Whereabouts in the United Kingdom I live?
- What does the Geographical information system (GIS) in Google Earth tell me about the Geography of the local area?
- What are the main land uses in my local area?
- How can we introduce people to the physical and human geography of our local area?

In Music we will be focussing on:

Melodic shape, 4 beat metre, so and mi, distinguishing pulse and rhythm.

Key vocabulary:

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| • Environment | • Residential |
| • Land use | • Public service |
| • Location | • Economic activity |
| | • Open space |

Ways you can help your child this term:

- Spending time daily to read with your child is essential. This doesn't have to just be a school book! If you read anything with your child that they particularly enjoy then write it in their reading journal so they can share it with the class. Ask lots of questions when reading with them to help with their comprehension.
- Numbots and TT Rockstars so beneficial to your child's learning. 15 minutes a day on either of these would be fantastic. If you need their login then please let us know.