

Literacy

This term Swallows will be using our topic of Me, Myself and I to explore and re-tell our own experiences. We will be working closely with our Science experiences to explain the ways in which the human body works, how we can make healthy choices and effect that they may have on our bodies. This will also lead nicely into our next cooking activity, creating instructions for how to make a healthy fruit kebab.

Art/DT

This term the children will be focusing on what they can see around them. They will be using many different methods to create still life images, looking closely at detail to try and make their pictures resemble the real thing more closely. These pictures will include self-portraits as well as scenic images, including a trip to the local church to draw what they can see.

Science

This term we will be looking at ourselves. We will be thinking about what makes a human body complete, labelling all of the different parts of the body and thinking about which parts work with which of our six senses. As part of our topic we will also be thinking about how to keep our bodies in great condition, promoting independence and healthy choices.

Numeracy

This term we will be consolidating our previous learning to ensure that previously taught subjects and methods are remembered independently. This will include the correct use of mathematical symbols in number sentences and a more in-depth look at time, making sure this important skill becomes second nature to the children.

As well as continuing with Mental Maths Rockstars to reinforce multiplication skills we will also be reviewing and challenging our skills in addition, subtraction and division.

History

This term we will be learning about some of the more immediate changes in current history. This will include some of the differences between the childrens' lives and that of their parents, including the rise of technology and any changes such as school and home conditions.

'Me, Myself and I'

PE

In PE children will be taking part in group games with Coach on Fridays to improve our teamwork with invasion skills and games. Leading on from our music lessons children will also be participating in Dance lessons, moving their bodies while keeping in time with the beat of music.

Music

This term the children will be using their bodies as instruments in different ways including their hands feet and voices. We will be working as a group to produce more complex and layered verses of songs, this will include some children keeping the beat with their bodies while others sing to the beat.

Geography

This term the children will be learning all about their local environment. We will be using our growing knowledge of maps to plot maps of the school, going on hunts for specific locations marked only by an aerial map. We will then take this knowledge around the village, learning about the location of some of Sutton St. James' landmarks in relation to an aerial map of the village.

RE

This term we will focus on religious buildings. We will begin with a Christian church, thinking about its features and purpose. We will then compare these to important building from other religions to look for any differences and similarities.