

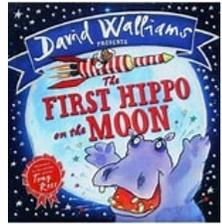
Picknalls First School
This half term Year 1's topic will All things Bright and Beautiful



Please help your child to explore this topic:

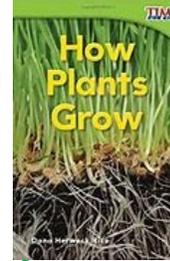
History

This half term, we will be looking at significant events beyond our lifetime such as the first moon landing and the first aeroplane flight.



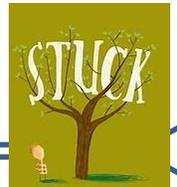
Science

We will be looking at plants this half term. We will identify and name a variety of wild and garden plants. Be able to describe the basic structure of a plant and growing plants.



English

During this half term we will focus on developing our phonics within phase 5 following our Little Wandle scheme. With a particular focus on alien words in preparation for the phonics screening test. We will use a variety of stories to develop skills such as sentence writing and using suffixes in our spelling accurately such as 'est' endings in words. We will continue to embed skills already learnt such as using adjectives and 'I' in our sentences. We will also be ensuring we focus on our handwriting. We will be exploring narratives this half term, encouraging the children to write their own stories using their wild imagination.



P.E.

In P.E. we will be focussing on Gymnastics, focussing on the use of apparatus to link routines together. We will also be learning skills involved with Athletics.

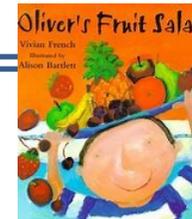


Art

We will be looking into Flora and Fauna artists and creating our own Flora and Fauna inspired collage. In DT we will be focussing on where food comes from, learning the basic principles of a healthy diet and prepare some healthy dishes.



Maths



RHE:

In RHE we will be learning our feelings and emotions, particularly looking at jealousy and worry.



Music

This unit is based around a fun, cumulative song with off-beat rhythms that presents a series of tasty dishes over the course of a week. Children will be singing to a beat and adding actions.



This half term, we will be focusing on simple multiplication and division, fractions, position and direction.

We will learn to count in 2s, 5s and 10s as well as sharing objects out to work out simple division problems. We will explore halves and quarters of shapes and quantities and we will be describing positions using the language left, right, forwards, backwards, above and below.