Literacy

We will be reading books and listening to stories about animals and Christmas.



We will be writing a nonchronological report about big cats and writing our own narratives.

Children will continue to have weekly challenge words to explore in class. Spelling activities will also be added to seesaw for children to access at home

Art and Design & Technology

We will learn about simple mechanisms and make our own Christmas cards with moving parts.



PSHE RSE

Our value this half term is **TOLERANCE**

In our Jigsaw lessons, we will be celebrating difference. We will explore what the term bullying means and learn what to do if we are worried about it. We will talk about what makes us unique.



Topic Highlights

We will walk to Kingstone Church and take part in a Christingle service. We will perform in the KS1 Christmas show for you all.

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Science

We will explore the topic of animals and their habitats. We will be using research and enquiry skills as we answer questions.



We will learn about the biologist David Attenborough.

Computing

We will be discovering how to capture the perfect picture as we explore digital photography.



History

We will be finding out what makes a person significant. We will learn about Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole.



Maths

We will continue to focus on addition and subtraction of numbers, choosing the most efficient order to add numbers and bridging 10.



We will be using concrete resources and pictorial representations to show our working.

We will be introduced to muliplication.

Physical Education

We will be developing our throwing and catching skills. We will learn to evaluate improve our skills. We will learn the rules to simple throwing and catching games.



Music

In music we will focus listening to and appraising songs and playing instruments using inspiration from the animal kingdom.

RE

In RE we will be answering the question - 'What is the good news that Christians believe Jesus brings?'

