#### English

Our Little Wandle phonics lessons will continue 4 days a week this half term and your child will continue to develop their understanding of sounds and letters.

This half term we are reading The Blue Giant by Katie Cottle and The Dot by Peter H Reynolds. The pupils will be immersing themselves in both books through various sensory experiences before learning new vocabulary.

#### Maths

In maths this half term we are focusing on shape, length and height.

### Geography

In Geography we will be focussing on 'Our School Mapping'. As part of our learning in Geography we will be know that a map shows where things are and understand that maps are drawn from above looking down on an area. We will identify human features around school.

# Computing

In Computing, we are going to be focussing on 'Programming'. We will understand that programming is giving a series of instructions to a robot. We will know that their commands are controlling the cat by dragging the blocks into the programming area is giving the robot commands.

#### PE

In PE we be focussing on 'Games'. We will be learning how to play the games beans, bop it, pirates' life, traffic lights and video game.

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## Engagement

This half term we will be engaging with a visit to a local library.

Each Wednesday morning, we will be going swimming.

# Music

We will be having weekly music sessions from Del from Dudley Performing Arts this half term. We will be playing along to different songs, learning basic rhythms and responses to a range of songs.

#### Science

In Science, our topic focus will be 'Living things and their habitats'. We will be learning about that some things are alive; somethings are dead and somethings that have never been alive. We will understand that living things have characteristics that keep them alive and healthy.

# Art and Design

In Art and Design, our topic is 'Sculptures'. We will begin to understand what sculptures are. We will know that Andy Goldsworthy is famous for his sculptures.

We will know that what materials he used for each sculpture, understand that they need to place larger objects on the bottom to create a tower and used different materials to create a sculpture.

#### RE and PSHE

In PSHE, we will be focussing on 'Staying Healthy'. We will understand what it means to be healthy and why it is important.

In RE, we will be focussing on 'Special Books' We will focus on this during a RE focus day.