

This half term's topic is:

'Houses and Homes



# **Key Words**

House, home, community, village, Easter, door, window, to model, soft, hard, rough, smooth, help, film.

# **Physical Development**

Weekly PE, trampolining/rebound and Physio sessions will continue. It's Orange class' turn to go swimming at the Crystal Leisure Centre, whilst other pupils may access Hydrotherapy sessions.

Green and Orange class will go to Soft Play on alternate Tuesday afternoons.

There will be lots of opportunities to practice fine motor skills throughout the term and we are especially looking forward to getting crafty for Easter!

#### **PSED**

In PSED, we will be learning about who is part of our school community. We will explore ways in which we can help those around us, both in school and the wider community.

## **Community Engagement**

We will be out and about in the local community, looking at different buildings and visiting shops to practise functional Maths skills.

Pupils from Purple and Pink Classes will enjoy weekly visits to Forest School.

#### **Expressive Arts**

We will be focussing on Food Technology this half term, making a range of foods that we might eat at Easter.

In ICT we will be taking photos and using the iPad to make our own stop-motion animation film.

# **Understanding the World**

In Science, we will be exploring materials with different textures, and sorting objects according to their size.

We will also be learning about the lives of the Ancient Greeks and taking part in a Greek Olympics afternoon.

### **Home learning**

When you're out and about, see if you can find any new houses being built in your local area. Practise Gross motor skills: walking, running, jumping in preparation for our Greek Olympics afternoon.

Join in with Easter craft activities with friends and family.

We are keen to hear about how pupils engage with each topic at home. Please send notes and photographs into school.