## Local Walk

As part of our topic this term the children will be going on a short walk around the local area to look at different types of buildings, identifying the different features and the purpose of the buildings. Work will be based around looking at maps and the routes we take to get from one place to another.



Year 1

Autumn 2

Miss Parveen and Miss Naaz

## **Our Topic**

Where Do We Live?

#### This half term we will be learning about:

- Our local area, which will include a local walk
- ⇒ The purpose of a map and finding routes
- $\Rightarrow$  Where Canterbury is in relation to Bradford, England and the world
- $\Rightarrow$  How they have influenced our lives

#### Reminders!

All pupils must come to school in full uniform and equipment which includes a book bag, reading books and Home School diary every day.

<u>Please note:</u> PE will take place on the following days:

1A: Thursday 1B: Wednesday

#### Homework.

Your child will receive homework every Thursday and must be returned to school by Tuesday each week. Homework will include:

- Maths homework
- Spelling/High Frequency words homework Please read and practise the spellings with your child every day
- Daily Reading—Raving Readers Challenge and completion of Home School diaries

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#### Maths

#### This half term we will be:

Learning how to add and subtract simple one and two digit numbers; Learning how to multiply and divide simple numbers using arrays and other methods

## You could help your child at home by:

Showing that when we multiply we have lots of groups of the same number Adding or subtracting different amounts at home to develop fluency.

# **English**

#### This half term we will be:

Innovating the class text: 'Beegu'.
Writing a recount of our local walk.

#### You could help your child at home by:

Reading daily to help build up a bank of language.

Practise sounding out words for spelling.

Writing basic sentences.

### **PSHE**

This half term we will: Learning how to take care of our health and well-being

## You could help your child at home by:

Discussing the importance of hiding harmful objects, or medicines

Talking to your child about how they are feeling, what upsets them or makes them happy

Making a feelings chart to log how they feel and reflect on their well-being.

#### Science

## This half term we will:

Identify parts of plants and trees

Research where plants and trees grow

Understand the difference between deciduous and evergreen trees

## You could help your child at home by:

Talking about where plants and trees can be found

Exploring plants and trees in the local area

Observing how some trees change through the seasons

## Geography

## This half term we will:

Research features of our local area and talk about how to use maps.

## You could help your child at home by:

Talking to your child about what you see when they are out and about. Point out buildings, road names, door numbers.

Take pictures of places they visit and talk about what they saw.

Looking at the Bradford on a UK map.

Researching the country we live in and our capital.

# **Design Technology**

# This half term we will:

Research where food comes from

Identify healthy and unhealthy food

plan and make fruit kebabs

# You could help your child at home by:

Talking about healthy eating

Preparing and making healthy snacks

Taking your child shopping for healthy food and drink items

