

**Literacy...** In Literacy, we will be reading George's Marvellous Medicine by Roald Dahl. We will be using story mapping to imitate the story, drama to innovate the characters and medicines and finally writing our own chapter for the story.

**Reading...**Your child will read at least once a week at school. Please begin to encourage your child to change their book during Early Bird. Books should be talked about and often enjoyed several times, so please don't change them too often. Please continue to record your reading sessions in your child's diary. As we are studying Roald Dahl this term, perhaps you could read some more of his classics to or with your child.

**Maths...** This term, we will be exploring more about multiplication and division and practising our x2, x3, x5 and x10 tables. We will be recognising odd and even numbers and showing that multiplication can be done in any order but division cannot.

We will be moving on to recognising and using symbols for pounds and pence and combining amounts to make a particular value. We will be finding different combinations of coins that equal the same amounts of money. We will also be solving problems involving addition and subtraction of money and giving change.

**Science...**

We are going to be having lots of messy fun with mixtures this term! We will be starting off with a Messy Mixtures Morning, where the children will be exploring lots of different mixtures with their hands and feet. They will be making predictions about what will happen when water is added to the mixtures.

We will be testing which soap ingredient creates the most bubbles, again using our predicting skills.

We will also be making our own ice-cream! It's going to be an exciting, but messy term!



# Marvellous Mixtures!

**PE...**

The children will have two P.E. lessons a week; one indoor and one outdoor session.

**Puffins do PE on Tuesdays and Fridays, Pelicans on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.**

The indoor session will have a dance theme and the outside session will be skills based.

**PE kits MUST be worn and kept in school all week.** This is important as days may change. Please, please name ALL items of clothes along with trainers.



**PSHE...**

This term the children will be exploring what makes them who they are. We will be creating a medicine that would transform anyone who drinks from it into a good classmate – We look forward to seeing what ideas the children have!

**ICT...**

We will be using algorithms which involves programming a device to carry out instructions.

We will be using the editing tools to help us create a colourful version of George's medicine that we can print out.

**RE...**

In RE we will be learning about the creation story. We will suggest why the creation story is significant for Christians and Jews and identify how the creation story might impact on the behaviour of some people. We will ask some questions about creation and its puzzling mysteries and discuss whether the beauty of the world needs protecting.

