

## Maths

- 2d and 3d shape names and their properties (Year 2 to read and write shape names)
- Similarities and differences between shapes
- Compare and sort 2d and 3d shapes in everyday objects
- Halves and quarters
- Fraction representations
- Recognising that a quarter is a half of a half using pictorial representations and quantities
- Year 2 – will look at thirds too. They will write simple fractions and look at equivalent fractions. Also, count in steps of  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{3}$ .

## Science – Plants

- Identify and name a variety of common wild and garden plants, including deciduous and evergreen trees
- Identify and describe the basic structure of a variety of common flowering plants, including trees
- Observing closely
- Using simple equipment
- Identifying and classifying
- Using their observations and ideas to suggest answers to questions
- Gathering and recording data to help in answering questions.

## English

### Writing

- Facts
- Non-chronological report
- Journal
- Persuasive writing
- Alliteration
- Rhetorical questions

### SPaG

- Spellings – paper copy and on Spelling Shed
- Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marks.
- Suffixes
- Conjunctions
- Sequencing questions

## History

- What makes someone a significant person?
- Matthew Henson
- Neil Armstrong
- Felicity Aston
- Similarities and differences between the explorers.
- How could these explorers be remembered?

## DT & Art

- Design their own underpants and alien.
- Paper Mache
- Salt dough
- Printing

## ICT

### Programming

- Link to position and direction
- Program a Bee Bot to navigate maps
- Instructional writing

## PSHE

- HeartSmart- Don't hold on to what is wrong!

## PE

- Cricket and gymnastics – Thursday
- Daily miles throughout the week

## Term 4 Significant Explorers

### Herons Class Years 1 and 2

## Music

- Learning and exploring a new song

## RE

- Salvation – Why does Easter matter to Christians?