## Reading and Phonics

The children will continue to learn phonics through Read Write Inc lessons. In our literacy lessons we will be looking at Percy the Park Keeper stories and will get to write our own stories all about Percy! Please continue to read with your child at home.

## DT

In DT we will be looking at structures and thinking about how we can stop a tower from toppling over.

## Art

During our art lesson, we will be working with textiles, drawing upon the work of artist Anne Kelly. We will be weaving, creating collages and making portraits.

## Maths

In Maths, we will be looking at numbers to 50, adding and subtracting them.

## Science

In Science, we are continuing to look at materials and discuss their properties. We will be conducting our own experiment to find which materials are waterproof.

## Geography

In geography, we will be exploring hot and cold locations. We will recap the continents and oceans and identify and locate the equator. We will also discover which animals live in these locations and will be visiting Colchester Zoo!

## Music

In Music, the children will be learning to find $a$ beat and sing a football chant.

## PE

In PE, we will be doing orienteering. We will be thinking about positions and following directions.

## RE

In RE we will be continuing to look at different religions and making comparisons between

## Computing

This half term, we are looking at collecting and sorting data and representing this on pictograms.

## As part our learning this term,

 we will be focussing on the following vocabulary.$\left.\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|}\hline \text { Geography } & \text { Science } & \text { Art } & \text { DT } \\ \hline \begin{array}{c}\text { location } \\ \text { scorched } \\ \text { freezing } \\ \text { tropical } \\ \text { equator } \\ \text { polar } \\ \text { compass }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { materials } \\ \text { properties } \\ \text { flexible } \\ \text { transparent } \\ \text { opaque } \\ \text { waterproof } \\ \text { absorb }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { fabric } \\ \text { yarn } \\ \text { portrait } \\ \text { thread } \\ \text { assemble } \\ \text { fibres }\end{array} & \begin{array}{c}\text { tower } \\ \text { topple } \\ \text { lean } \\ \text { foundation } \\ \text { balance }\end{array} \\ \because & \text { perpendicular }\end{array}\right]$

