<u>Numeracy</u>

We continue daily fluency of maths facts including number bonds to 10 and 20, counting in 2s 5s and 10s, counting on from any given number up and back to 100. Addition and subtraction this term consolidates their learning but builds confidence in using larger numbers. We also look at Weight and Volume, Length and Height.

<u>P.E.</u>

The Spring term PE continues to develop their core skills in throwing, catching, and movement. Tom will be with us coaching the children, which they really enjoy.

<u>Computing</u>

We look at the differences when using skills with and without technology – drawing, writing, researching. During the second half term, the children will learn some simple programming.

<u>Music</u>

With the benefit of our specialist Music teacher the class will be developing skills in performing, listening and composing music of different genres.

Magnificent Monarchs

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Character Education & PSED

We will continue looking at the Character Virtues – Helpfulness and Caring. The children will have the opportunity to be inspiring speakers, volunteers, leaders and adventurers as they work towards their Inspiring Challenge Awards.

<u>Humanities</u>

Our history topic takes us to past times looking at different monarchs and what was significant about them. We are lucky to be able to visit Arlington Court this term and take a look at the royal carriage.

<u>Science</u>

The Spring term is a lovely one to continue to learn about different animal groups. We will use the Forest School to hunt for bugs and understand their habitat. With the forest area just outside we use this to underpin our learning of plants.

<u>Literacy</u> <u>Key Texts:</u>

The Magic Bed, Beegu, Unicorns Uncovered and You wouldn't want to be married to Henry VIII.

Our texts are partly focussed around the topic Magnificent Monarchs but also includes 2 wonderful stories that spark the children's imagination and allows them to use the knowledge learnt in phonics to express their own ideas.

Oracy continues to play an important part of the learning. Practicing saying sentences out loud and experimenting with vocabulary before putting pencil to paper.

Religious Education

Having looked at Christianity last term, we move to understand and compare a different faith/belief, Judaism,

<u>Art</u>

We are lucky to have the expertise of our Art specialist to support in Year 1. The children will develop skills in using a range of media from chalk to oil pastels, paints and ink.

Design and Technology

After half term we turn our attention to Freestanding Structures specifically linking with our Magnificent Monarchs topic. We will be exploring the homes of Monarchs and making a home fit for a King or Queen..