

Curriculum Newsletter

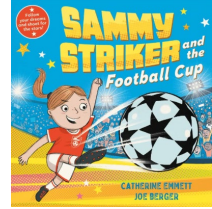
Class: Explorers 1 Term: Summer 1



Our topic this half term is 'Football Fever.' We be celebrating alongside the World Cup 2026 hosted across three countries.



Our key text this half term is 'Sammy Striker and the Football Cup'



MY COMMUNICATION



This half term we will be exploring our key text through the Sensory Story 'Sammy Striker and the Football Cup.' We will continue to explore a new sound each week in Phonics, exploring our sounds through different stories and texts. Our sounds this half term are; j, v, w, y, th. We will be practising different letter movements and shapes, mark making using different materials.

MY THINKING AND PROBLEM SOLVING



In Maths we will be exploring time using standard and non-standard measurements. We will look at clocks, sand timers and how we use 'now' and 'next' to help us throughout the day. In Science we are going to be exploring freezing and melting. We are going to complete our own experiments exploring what happens when we add heat or extreme cold. We are going to practise taking our own photographs of the experiments.

MY PSED



In PSED we will be focusing on how to keep our bodies healthy. We will be thinking about how exercise helps to keep us fit and how it changes the way our bodies feel. In PE we are going to be practising our Athletic skills throwing javelins, completing relay races and playing T- ball.

MY CREATIVITY



In Art this half term, we are going to be exploring the flags of the three host countries of this years World Cup. We will be re-creating them using different materials and techniques. In Music we will be listening to songs from Canada, Mexico and the United States of America and exploring different instruments to recreate the sounds.

THE WORLD ABOUT ME



We will be focusing on History this half term in The World About Me curriculum. We will be exploring how the World Cup and the game of football has changed over the years. We will be looking at what is still the same and what is different.

OTHER INFORMATION



Our PE day is on Tuesdays.

Please keep an eye out for notes in the diaries for personal care equipment which we need in school. Also feel free to write or reply to anything in your child's diaries.