

In Literacy:

- Our class texts will be “Town Mouse and Country Mouse” and “The Owl who was afraid of the dark”. We will be writing letters and rewriting the stories in our own style. In our Creative Writing we will be learning about non-chronological reports and having a go at writing our own non-chronological report.

Through our Street Detectives topic, we will:

- Write instructions to guide a visitor around our town and make lists of human and physical features.
- Design posters to tell everyone about our local environment.



In Science, we will be looking at ‘Living Things and Their habitats’. In this unit of work, we will be looking at where different animals live and trying to group these animals. We will also be looking at why animals live in certain habitats.



In Computing we will be learning about creative media-

- Digital Photography
- Online safety—self-image and identity online



### Year 2 Autumn 2 Topic: Street Detectives



In PE we will be learning about: Exploring Manipulative Skills – rolling a ball, dribbling with a ball, throwing underarm to hit a target.

In RHEC- “Created and Loved by God”, we will learn about likes, dislikes and self-acceptance. We’ll learn from Freddy Teddy and his friends how to describe different feelings, both good and bad. Finally, through a real world example, we will learn that actions have consequences; that when we make mistakes we should say sorry and ask for forgiveness.

In our R.E topic ‘Prophecy and the Promises’ we will:

- Know that St Luke wrote a gospel containing an account of the life of Jesus and the Acts of the Apostles about the early Church.
- Sequence St Luke’s account of the infancy of Jesus and recognise the significance of an angelic presence.
- Recognise that angels bring God’s message and are a sign the Jesus is the Son of God.

In our Mathematics learning the class will be looking at “Addition and Subtraction”, where the children will:

- Represent and use number bonds and related subtraction facts within 20 (Y1)
- Recall and use addition and subtraction facts to 20 fluently, and derive and use related facts up to 100
- Add and subtract numbers using concrete objects, pictorial representations, and mentally, including: a 2-digit number and 1s, a 2-digit number and 10s, two 2-digit numbers and adding three 1-digit numbers
- Compare and order numbers from 0 up to 100; use and = signs

In History and Geography, we will become Street Detectives by:

- Looking at changes in the past in our local environment.
- Using fieldwork, observational and map skills to study our local environment
- Inviting local residents who could tell us about living in Finchley and how it has changed over the years.



In Art and Design, we will use investigative and evaluative skills by:

- Exploring and discussing a variety of different puppets, their features and what they are used for.
- Choosing favourite puppets to compare, draw and label.