



## English

- Phonics: Learning new sounds and multi-syllabic words and applying these to reading. Daily reading of phonics books building fluency and comprehension.
- Reading: Learning new vocabulary linked to our topic, reading wishing tales, exploring sentence structure in stories, exploring vocabulary and understanding the use of capital letters and full stops.
- Writing: Writing character descriptions, making inferences about characters, retelling event and narrative story writing using a range of sentence types.



## Maths

- Place value within 10
- Mass and capacity
- Sorting objects
- Length and height
- Counting
- Time
- Comparing
- More and less
- Addition and subtraction
- Number sentences
- Number bonds
- Fact families

## Science: properties of everyday materials.

- Describe the physical properties of a variety of everyday materials.
- Understand the difference between an object and a material.
- Investigation into which materials is most suited to a particular



## DT: structures

- Create a design based on a design criteria.
- Make a stable structure.
- Make functioning sails that are supported by a main structure.
- Evaluate their design and final piece.

## History: What is a monarch?

- Understand what a monarch is and identify some of a monarch's duties.
- Understand what a coronation is and explore the lives of King Charles III and Queen Elizabeth II.
- Explain who William the Conqueror was and why castles were built.
- Identify the main features of different castles.
- Explore how castles have changed over time.

**Parent Overview - Yr1/Yr2**  
**Squirrels**  
 Autumn 2 - 2023  
 Towers and Turrets

## Key Texts

The Dragon who lost his fire.  
 Prince Cinders.  
 The boy who grew dragons.  
 Rapunzel.

## PE: Gymnastics and invasion games.

Developing a range of gymnastics moves, travelling, balance and creating our own sequences.

## Computing: Lego builders

- Logging on to a computer independently.
- Follow and create instructions on the computer.
- Consider how the order of instructions affects the end result.

## PSHE: Valuing difference

- What makes us special and the similarities and differences between us and others.
- How do we make others feel.

**Stormbreak- Resilience.**

## RE

Religion: Christianity

Key question: 'Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas?'

