

### In English we will:

- Write sentences using the Magic 5 (capital letter, finger spaces, neat handwriting, check it sounds right, full stop)
- Use the story 'Prince Cinders' by Babette Cole to write an innovated traditional tale with a twist
- Learn how to write set of instructions
- Write a set of instructions for a new play ground game, how to store medicines carefully, how to prepare a healthy snack
- Write a poem about Winter
- Continue to consolidate letter names and sounds with a focus in C. K and S.

### The spelling rules we will learn and consolidate are:

- phase 3 digraphs and trigraphs
- phase 5 digraphs and trigraphs; ie, igh, au, aw and more

### In Music we will:

- Learn about the components of Latin music, in particular salsa - to promote healthy bodies and keep fit.
- Use a variety of percussion instruments and create their own music to play along to and/or write a Salsa inspired piece.
- Listen to, appreciate and perform alongside popular salsa and Zumba tracks.

### In Art and Design we will:

- Study the work of artists Picasso and Keith Haring
- Experiment with a variety of media; pencils, rubbers, crayons, pastels, felt tips, charcoal, ballpoints, chalk.
- Control the types of marks made with the range of media.
- Observe and draw shapes from observations.
- Investigate tone by drawing light/dark lines, light/dark shapes.



## Leopard Class Parent Information Sheet Autumn 2 Fighting Fit

### How can I help my child?

- Read with your child every day, asking questions about what they have read (use the reading book marks to help!)
- Practise spellings weekly
- Complete the topic project together!

### Don't forget...

- Spelling homework is due in on Friday
- Reading books need to be in school everyday
- **OUR PE DAYS ARE WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY.** Indoor and outdoor PE kits need to be in school each week.

### In Maths we will:

- Count to twenty, forwards and backwards, beginning with 0 or 1, or from any given number.
- Learn number bonds to 10
- Compare number bonds to 10
- Add two numbers together
- Add 'more' to a number
- Finding a missing number
- Subtract by taking away
- Subtract by finding a part and breaking apart
- Learn about fact families
- Learn about subtraction as counting back
- Learn about subtraction as finding the difference
- Compare addition and subtraction statements
- Recognise, name and sort 3D shapes
- Recognise, name and sort 2D shapes
- Make patterns with 3D and 2D shapes

### In Science we will:

#### Animals - Animal Survival and Growth (Humans)

- Notice that humans have offspring which grow into adults.
- Find out about and describe the basic needs of humans, for survival (water, food and air).

#### Health - How we Grow and Stay Healthy

- Describe the importance for humans of exercise, eating the right amounts of different types of food, and hygiene.
- Learn that medicines can be useful when we are ill.
- Learn that Medicines can be harmful if not used properly.

**In PSHCE we will** learn about getting on and falling out. We will also take part in anti - bullying week.

**In RE we will** learn about different Christian and Hindu celebrations.