English:

This term in English we will be developing our writing skills using the books 'The Dragon Machine' and 'The Great Fire of London'. In our guided reading sessions, the Year 2s will be reading 'The Dragon Sitter' and 'Owen and the Soldier'. The Year 1s will follow the guided reading in the Rising Stars Phonics

PSHE:

We will be developing our skills of how to live in the wider world. We will be discussing where money comes from and how it can be used. We will also

PE:

We will be developing our fitness through circuit training and practicing our bat and ball skills

Computing:

We will be developing our digital writing skills by practicing using a keyboard to type on the computer. We will also learn about data and the different ways we can group data.

Maths:

This term in Maths the Year 1s will be learning about place value (within 50), addition and subtraction (within 20), length, height, mass and volume. The Year 2s will be learning about money, multiplication and division, length, height, mass, capacity and temperature.

How does Ruyton XI Towns compare to Tocuaro?

Geography:

This term in Geography we will be comparing life in Ruyton XI Towns to life in Tocuaro, Mexico. We will be learning about the continents and oceans, how to make and read some different maps, how to locate Tocuaro on a map, the weather patterns. This will help us answer these enquiry questions: What clothes should I pack for a trip out? and What month would be better for the summer holidays? We will also think about how living in each place impacts on people's daily lives and what it is like to be a child in Tocuaro.

Science:

This term in Science we will be learning about materials. We will be exploring materials, sorting and grouping materials. We will identify different materials and their uses. We will learn about properties of materials and will work scientifically to carry out investigations.

Art, Design & Technology:

In Art, we will explore the colours and patterns of the African landscape and native tribes. In Design & Technology, we will be designing and creating our own African animal puppet.

Music:

This term in Music we will be getting musical with desert and jungle rhythms and songs with stories.

RF:

We will be learning about Judaism. Our key question for the term is 'Who is Jewish and how do they live?. Through our lessons we will answer the questions: What religion do Jewish people follow? Where do Jewish people worship? What do Jewish people believe about God? What is Shabbat and how do Jewish people prepare for it? What is Sukkot and why is it celebrated? What is Channukah and why is it celebrated?