

## R.E and Collective Worship:

- **Beginnings** – Children will understand the different types of beginnings we come across in our life. They will learn that God is present in every beginning.
- **Signs and Symbols** – In this unit children will learn about the different signs and symbols that are involved in the sacrament of Baptism.
- **Preparations** – Children will learn about the four weeks of Advent in preparation of the birth of Jesus.

## Maths:

- **Place value** – children will learn how to use a place value chart and be able to partition numbers to 100. They will begin to count in 2s, 5s, 10s and 3s.
- **Addition and subtraction** – children will begin to learn to add and subtract 2-digit numbers and be able to compare them.
- **Shape** – children will learn facts about 2-D and 3-D shapes and lines of symmetry.

## D.T / Art

- **D.T** – Food Technology – Children will find out what the favourite pizzas in the class are. They will also try different bread-based products and pizza toppings to help them plan and make their own pizza.
- **ART** – Portraits in the style Giuseppe Arcimboldi – Children will look at the work of Giuseppe Arcimboldi and experiment with different techniques including painting, collage and printing. Their final piece will be a portrait made from fruit and flowers.

Music: The Ants Go Marching

## Science:

- **Animals, including humans** – children will learn that animals and humans have babies that grow into adults. They will also learn that animals need air, food and water to survive.
- **Everyday Materials** – children will learn to identify, classify and record the uses of everyday materials. Also, they will find out about John McAdam and how he invented a strong material that is used to surface roads.

# Year 2 Autumn Term Overview Mr Walsh

## History

### **Great History Makers**

- In this topic children will be learning about different famous history makers and develop their knowledge of people's lives at points during the past.

PSHE: Me & My Relationships/  
Valuing Differences

P.E: Fundamental movements

## English:

### Fiction –

- **No Dinner!** – children will learn to write an alternative ending of a story.
- **Pretty** – we will learn how to plan and write a story based on the text.

### Non-Fiction –

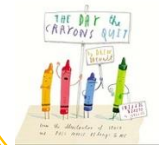
- **Information text** – children will learn how to write a letter.
- **Recount** – children will learn to write a recount.

Reading: Whole class guided reading with a focus on fluency.

## Phonics / Spelling

- We will begin the year by recapping choosing the correct spelling of a sound.
- After half term we will learn year 2's spelling rules.

### Class Readers:



## Computing:

- **Digital Citizenship** – children will learn to use technology safely and respectfully and know where to go for support when they have worries about content they see.
- **Digital Literacy** – Children will learn how to log onto a computer and have an introduction to word processing.