

### Maths

Using the Abacus scheme as a basis, children will be working in their separate year groups on the new National Curriculum. Half-termly tests.

### RE

#### First half term:

What does it mean to belong to the Muslim community (*Ummah*)?

#### Second half term:

How do religious believers show care for the world / God's creation?



### PE

- ✚ Swimming on Wednesdays
- ✚ Circus skills
- ✚ Athletics in the build-up to **SPORTS DAY** (July 6th)

### English

**Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar – daily practice.**

**Reading:** *The Girl Who Walked on Air* by Emma Carroll is our class reading book, linked to the circus visit.

**Writing:** Closely linked to our science work, we are writing an introduction to our solar system (information writing) as well as exploring our imaginative ideas about what might be out there in the universe!

**Speaking and Listening:** Lots of discussion and debate (as always!). Performing our written work to the class.



### Music



Chords and strumming patterns on the ukulele

### Art and Design:

- Sketching skills
- Oil pastel
- Textiles

### Computing

- Computer design
- Espresso Coding

### Geography

#### ✚ Location Knowledge

Latitude, longitude, the Equator, northern and southern hemispheres, Tropics of Cancer and Capricorn, Arctic and Antarctic Circles

### Science

#### Environments

- ✚ How environments can change and sometimes pose dangers to living things

#### Earth and Space

- ✚ Describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system
- ✚ Describe the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth
- ✚ Use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night, and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky



"East Anglia's brightest, friendliest, ALL HUMAN show!"

Circus Ferrel is pitching up at our school from May 1-6. Children will get the opportunity to appear in a professional live circus show!

Circus Ferrel Website: [www.circusferrel.com](http://www.circusferrel.com)



### Homework

- Fortnightly 'Big Talk' in preparation for "Big Write" on Thursday.
- Please continue to encourage reading at home and practise fast recall of times tables, number bonds and telling the time.
- Maths homework once a week - either on paper or online at [www.activelearnprimary.co.uk](http://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk).

