### Numeracy

The children will be embedding their learning of the four operations of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division within problem solving and reasoning contexts. Small units on fractions, and handling data will complement this learning.

### **History**

We will be learning about Mary Anning, finding out her story and thinking about why she was not celebrated in the 19th century for her amazing discovery. The children will learn about the impact she has on our understanding of the world today.



## <u>Art</u>

In the first half of the term we will be developing our drawing skills, looking at local artist Hilary Buckley's art work. During the half term children will be learning to have increased control over their pencils, pastels and paints.

### Forest Schools

We will be exploring the changes taking place outside and using the natural resources.

#### Literacy

We will be writing a biography of Mary Anning and creating a comic strip of her story. This will lead into our research on fossils and composing fact files. The children will have fun writing a menu for their favourite dinosaur!



Why was Mary Anning not celebrated? Year 2 - Summer 2021



#### **Science**

In summer 1 we are learning about different types of living creatures, beginning to classify and categorise. Children will be learning terms such as amphibian, reptile and mammal - looking at and then creating food chains.



# <u>RE</u>

Continuing to follow the "Come and See" scheme we will explore the topics of Spread the word, Rules and Treasures. Within each unit we will use drama, art, music and discussion to ask and answer related questions.

<u>PHSE</u> This half term is focusing on "Being my best".

# <u>ICT</u>

We will use Purple Mash to learn how to interpret and create a simple branching database.

## <u>Music</u>

We will be continuing to follow our Charanga music scheme, learning to sing and perform a friendship song.