

Computing

The children will learn how to use technology safely and responsibly. They will learn about computer networks including the Internet and the opportunities they provide for communication and collaboration.

RE

The children will learn about Judaism in term 1. We will be exploring the synagogue, prayer clothing and Jerusalem. In term 2, Christian pilgrimages, especially related to Christmas, will be explored.

Music

The children will be learning to use graphic notation- leading to note values and use of standard music notation.

Science

The children will investigate sound. How are sounds made? What happens to sound the further it gets from the source? How does sound travel? Why are some sounds loud and some sounds quiet? Can we find patterns between the pitch of a sound and the object that created it?

Topic

Our topic for this term will be 'Where in the World?' The children will become veritable globetrotters, with a particular focus on the array of landscapes, climates and cultures to be found in Europe. In term 2, we will be having a closer look at the weather around the world, with a focus on weather processes.

Art/DT

To support their Literacy work, the children will be making their own illustrations for Aesop's fables and How To Train Your Dragon fantasy stories. Further to this, the children will be studying European Art in conjunction with their Topic work, with a focus on world-renowned artists from different European backgrounds.

Literacy

The children will be using the beautifully illustrated "Aesop's Fables" rewritten by Michael Rosen to explore dialogue through drama, debate moral messages and write letters in role. They will then write their own version of a fable. We will then be moving into the realms of fantasy through 'How To Train Your Dragon' by Cressida Cowell, before finishing our fiction unit with 'Horrid Henry', our story from a familiar setting. In our unit on non-fiction, we will be exploring effective instruction writing, using imperative verbs and pronouns in context and will then be using what we have learnt in explanation writing.

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PSHE

This term's theme in PSHE will be New Beginnings. We will be focusing on developing children's social skills, self-awareness, empathy and motivational skills.

PE

PE this term will see the children honing their co-ordination and tactical skills through football and hockey.

Maths

The children will become fluent in the order and place value of numbers beyond 1000 and extend their knowledge of fractions and decimals. They will practise both mental methods and columnar addition and subtraction with larger numbers. They will continue to practise recalling and using multiplication tables and related division facts to aid fluency in calculation and in problem solving. They will build on their understanding of number to record measures including money. They will continue to compare and classify shapes and identify their properties. They will interpret and present data using appropriate graphs and charts.