

English

Children will practice a range of leaflet punctuation and grammar when designing their own beach safety information. Then, they will be writing creatively as we turn our attention to myths and legends from Ancient Greece. After that: it is journalistic writing. Across the whole of term there will be a focus on spellings and overall presentation in all work.

ICT

Children will design, write and debug programs that accomplish specific goals using sequence, selection and repetition when creating and developing games in Kodu.

MFL

This year sees a focus on French as we introduce lots of new words and simple sentences related to introductions.

Maths

We will be closely following the new National Curriculum, focusing heavily on place value as we introduce the concepts of addition and subtraction in short columnar methods.

Topic (History/Art/Music)

This term our focus is on Ancient Greece.

History:

Understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources. Know and understand significant aspects of the history of the wider world. Gain a historically grounded understanding of abstract terms such as 'empire'. Know some methods of historical enquiry.

Understand Ancient Greece, Greek life, their achievements and influence on the western world.

Art and DT:

Use knowledge of chariots and soldiers in Ancient Greece and movement made by the cam in the design of their automaton.

Music:

December production- rhythm, rounds and harmonies in production songs. Samba - to play expressively and in tune, holding a part within a round.

RE

This is exploration into what people believe about life in different religions with a focus on comparing these with Christianity.

Science

Forces:

We will be taking a look at balanced and unbalanced forces, testing for gravity, air resistance, water resistance and friction through a variety of investigations, using appropriate scientific language to write up investigations.

Scientists and Inventors:

We will be discussing the life work and accomplishments of important people such as David Attenborough, Leonardo Da Vinci, Eva Crane and Margaret Hamilton.

Busy Bees War and Greece

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PSHE

We will be looking at managing feelings, resolving conflict and seeing things from other perspectives by understanding different types of relationships and working together effectively. We will continue to use Votes for Schools to encourage discussions within and across classes.