

English

Our English lessons will include daily reading, comprehension and spellings. Each term, we will focus on a different 'strand' of literacy (e.g. poetry, narrative). During the Autumn Term, we will focus on reading for understanding and features of diaries and list poems, as well as traditional tales. Our text focus this term is 'Illustrated Myths From Around The World'.

Traditional tales, poems, diary entry, text

Maths

During the Autumn term, we will be looking at numbers and place value. We will also think about different ways to represent numbers, including pictorially, using concrete apparatus and a using tens and ones chart. We will begin to use addition and subtraction to calculate with familiar numbers, before moving on to develop our understanding of time, money and shape.

Add, subtract, value, shape, time

Science

Our Science lessons will begin by looking at animals (including humans). We will look at similarities and differences and begin classifying animals into different groups. We will then explore Earth & Space, and Light and Sound. Practical opportunities to use scientific equipment will be incorporated throughout.

Animals, mammals, fish, birds, reptiles

Humanities

This year we will have History and Geography on our timetable weekly. In History we will explore The Great Fire of London, including how the fire started, the effect that it had on London and what London was like in 1666.

In Geography, we will be focussing on the geographical features of The UK with a specific focus on London before moving onto learning about the different countries that make up the United Kingdom.

Past, present, London, United Kingdom, country

The Ocean



Religious Education

Over the Autumn term, we will be exploring 'who is Jewish and how do they live' and 'how and why people mark special events of life'. In exploring these topics we will look at similarities and differences of other religions and link experiences to our own lives.

Judaism, religion, event, similarities, differences

ICT

Our Computing lessons will begin by focussing on important IT skills, such as typing, digital literacy and staying safe online.

Lessons will include both online and offline activities, and will use a range of devices and programs.

Typing, safety, digital literacy, online, device

Art/DT/Food

In Art, we will be learning about the work of well-known artists such as Banksy and Vanessa Barragão whilst also creating our own pieces. In DT this term, we will design, make and evaluate animal masks using paper mache.

In Food, we will be making different dishes from the four countries of the United Kingdom.

Banksy, paint, mixing, measuring, weighing

Music

This term we will be learning about sea shanties. We will be finding out more about the context, history, and purpose of sea shanties as work songs as well as providing inspiration and opportunities for pupils to create rhythm games and a class arrangement using their voices and instruments. After half term we will be playing the boomwhackers and handbells as well as learning an exciting variety of songs in preparation for Christmas.

Sea shanty, duration, pitch, tempo

PE

This term in PE, primary will be taught by Miss Hancock, Mr Altman and Mr Stinton on a carousel timetable. We will be practising our multi skills, such as throwing and catching, kicking and dribbling with a focus on the sports; Hockey and Basketball. We will also have opportunities to work as a team to develop communication skills during physical activity and ability to take turns.

Team, skill, Hockey, Basketball

Personal and Social Development

In PSD, we will be focussing on self-awareness and healthy lifestyles. We will learn about healthy and unhealthy food choices and ways to keep ourselves safe.

Healthy, unhealthy, safe, wellbeing, exercise