

Creative Curriculum

In the summer term we will be learning about Ancient Greece. We will be focusing on developing a chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of Ancient Greek history. We will be making connections, looking at contrast and trends over time and developing the appropriate use of historical terms. We are going to understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of resources.

RE

In Year 3 and 4 we explore religious concepts linked to Christianity or Hinduism. Our R.E. focus weeks this term will be based on:

Concept: Sacred place: Places of worship

Concept: Kingdom of God: When Jesus left, what was the impact of Pentecost?

PE

On Tuesday children will have a Premier Sport session where they are going to participate in a range of sport, this term that includes Handball and Athletics. Our other session of PE will be on a Thursday with a focus on Gym and Rounders.

English

In line with the new National Curriculum we will be developing children's understanding and use of grammar. Each week the children will participate in grammar and spelling rules based activities and learning. Children have guided reading sessions to further develop their reading and comprehension of written language. During the first half term we will be looking at Greek Myths and we are going to write our own myth. In the second half term our English work will be based on the book 'The wolves in the walls' and we will be learning about non-chronological report and newspaper reports.

Computing

The children regularly use computers and ipads throughout the curriculum to support their learning. This term children will learn to write a blog with text, pictures and videos.



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Feel free to catch up with me with any queries.

Health and Citizenship

Our theme this term is 'Change for life'. The class will develop their understanding through Philosophy for Children (P4C). It is a great way of getting children to think about their world and develop their own voice.

Music

This term learning is focused around one song: Three Little Birds. The material presents an integrated approach to music where games, elements of music (pulse, rhythm, pitch etc.), singing and playing instruments are all linked. As well as learning to sing, play, improvise and compose with this song, children will listen and appraise other reggae songs.

Art

Our art work throughout the term will be linked to our creative curriculum topic - Ancient Achievements. Children will learn about great artists, architects and designers in history; we will create sketchbooks to record observations and improve mastering drawing and painting, with a range of materials.

Maths

In line with the new National Curriculum we will be developing children's understanding of number and place value. Throughout the term children will cover the four operations and fractions. We are going to learn about statistics, geometry and measures. Children will learn through a range of different activities, ranging from practical based maths to written maths. A key focus for this term is problem solving and reasoning.

DT

In DT the children will be developing their use of wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks like designing and creating a Greek vase.

Science

In the first half term we will be learning about plants. Children will be identifying and describing the functions of different parts of flowering plants. Our theme in the second half term will be 'All living things'. We are going to identify and name a variety of living things in the local and wider environment, using classification keys to assign them to groups.