

English

Autumn 1 – writing to entertain

Fiction –

Children will work towards writing a legend based on the Anglo Saxon story 'Beowulf'.

Non-fiction –

Children will write a report to inform based on Robin Hood.

Class Reader – Beowulf

Autumn 2 – writing to persuade

Non-fiction-

To write a newspaper report based on a legend.

RE

What do Christians believe about God being loving and holy?

Children will look at the ways in which Christians view God and how his holiness is expressed. This will then link with how God shows love when forgiving people and how everyone can demonstrate this value in their own lives.

Islam – What is it like to be a Muslim today?

Children will focus upon the main practises of Islam and how this impacts their daily lives. This will include key festivals and the significance of these for believers.

Science

Earth and Space

The children will study the planets of the Solar System as well as the orbits of both the Earth and the Moon. This will include the phases of the Moon.

Forces

Different types of forces and uses including their effects.
Exploring how these forces can be changed.

Maths

Regular fluency sessions to support retrieval of learnt facts and calculations.

Place Value–

- Numbers up to one million.
- Rounding numbers up to one million.
- Negative numbers.
- Roman numerals.

Addition and Subtractions -

- Formal written method up to four digits.
- Mental addition and subtraction.
- Solving multi-step problems.

Multiplication and Division -

- Multiples of a number
- Factors
- Prime numbers
- Square numbers and cube numbers
- Multiply and divide by powers of ten

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Children to design and create electrical doodlers.



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Year 5

Curriculum Map

Geography

Children will learn to locate mountains, explore how they are formed and discuss the impact of living near a mountain or earthquake.

History

How did rule, laws and religion change Anglo-Saxon Britain? Children will learn and explore Anglo Saxon invasion, settlement, life in villages, kings, crime and punishment and religion.

PSHE

Heartsmart – Get Heartsmart – Learning to love others and ourselves as well as building resistance.

Don't forget to Let Love In -

Children learn to love and value themselves to build their character and resilience.

French

We will be focusing upon vocabulary related to clothing for different seasons and presenting this orally.

Music

Jazz music - Children will learn to listen to, compose and improvise along to Jazz music using glockenspiels and body percussion.

Blues music- Children will learn to play the 12 bar blues and improvise using the notes from the blues scale.

Computing

Children will use the program Tinkercad to design a variety of household objects with the result of creating their dream room.

PE

Netball & Golf

Children will learn to communicate, work as a team and build on their skills in these two sports

Art

Frida Kahlo

Focusing upon the artist Frida Kahlo when creating self-portraits in a surrealism style.

Engage experience...

To link with our Islam RE topic, we intend to visit Gloucester Mosque where the Iman will talk to the children about the Islamic faith and provide a tour of this place of worship.