

History

We will investigate the Anglo-Saxons. The children will find out who they were, where they came from, when they came and why they came to Britain. They will find out about their homes and lifestyles and how we can use artefacts to find out about the past. They will learn about what archaeologists do and how and why they dig for evidence.

R.E

We will consider the kind of world that Jesus wanted. We will investigate stories about Jesus that inspire Christians and identify Gospels which tell the story of the life and teaching of Jesus.

PSHE

PHSE is taught through Collective Worship. The themes this term are: Relationships, Making Choices and Respect for others

Music

Some children will continue with learning the violin. The children will learn and perform songs for the Easter Service.

PE

In the Spring term the children will cover Gymnastics, Net and Wall Games and Outdoor Adventure Activities.

D.T

Investigate, plan and make Anglo-Saxon jewellery.

Spring Term 2018

Key Stage 2



Curriculum Information

A booklet for parents

Literacy

Children will consider the role of the hero and heroine in fiction and write their own recipe for a hero or heroine using adjectives. They will consider heroes and heroines in Treasure Island and Beowulf. They will investigate villains in stories and use these to write their own myth. After watching Treasure Island at the New Vic children will write a diary entry for one of the characters. Children will consolidate their learning of a range of punctuation types and sentence structures. We will continue with daily spelling sessions - details of these can be found in your child's homework book. Once taught there is an expectation that spelling rules will be applied in all writing.

Numeracy

In mathematics, we are continuing with our Mastery approach and will continue to work in units. The children will have plenty of opportunities to carry out fluency, reasoning and problem solving activities. The units we will be covering in the Spring term are:

Year 3- Multiplication and Division, Measurement-money, length and perimeter, Statistics and Fractions.

Year 4- Multiplication and Division, Measurement-area, Fractions and Decimals.

Modern Foreign Languages

Our topic this half term is - Quel-temps fait il? We will be learning all about the weather and extending our knowledge of basic weather phrases. Children will have the opportunity to take part in a role play, where they will use names of cities in France to show their weather forecasting skills!

Science

Children will be introduced to the topic Living things and their habitats. They will find out about animals in micro-habitats and will also learn about animals and their habitats from around the world. They will be learning how to use and create classification keys. The children will continue to experience most of their learning through an experimental and investigative approach.

ICT

The children will be discussing safety when using the internet. Some areas they will learn about are what information should be shared and what should not and how to check a site is safe.

Geography

The children will study the local area. We will look the correct use of geographical terms to describe the area, look at maps of the local area to develop our understanding of basic Ordnance survey map symbols and learn how to use grid references on a map. The children will also carry out research to discover features of villages, towns and cities and explain why people might choose to live in one place rather than another.

Art

The children will investigate and use features of Art from the Anglo - Saxon period. When we cover the local area, the children will take photographs and use these in their own pictures,