

Mathematics

This term we will be deepening our understanding of the place value system and addition and subtraction.

Recognise the place value of each digit in a 4-digit number

Find 1000 more and less of a given number

Read Roman numerals to 100

Estimate and use inverse operations

Solve addition and subtraction 2-step problems

Add and subtract numbers with up to 4-digits using formal written methods (column)

Art

William Morris is our inspiration this term. He was a Victorian designer who was famous for creating tapestry and textile designs as well as printing techniques. We will be using his tools and methods to create our own designs and experiment with different printing styles to create our own printed pattern.

English

This term our English lessons will focus on the text 'Street Child'. We will be exploring journals and letter writing as well as descriptive writing of characters and settings.

Additionally, we will be having regular spelling and handwriting lessons. We encourage children to practise their spellings at home for their weekly test.

History

We will immerse ourselves in Victorian history this term whilst trying to answer some exciting overarching questions. We will find out about Queen Victoria and what life was like to be a Victorian child. The children will learn about the Industrial Revolution and how the British Empire made Britain so powerful. During this topic we will also learn about famous Victorian role models such as, Lord Shaftesbury and Dr Barnardo.

The Victorians

PSHE

The theme this term is Being Me in My World. We will be learning to recognise how our behaviour can affect how others feel and behave as well as understanding why it is important to have rules and how that helps us and others learn. We will learn to explain why it is important to feel valued.

P.E.

In PE this term we will be challenging ourselves to beat our personal best scores through different fun activities. We will be working on our footwork and co-ordination skills.

Science

Our science topic for this term is 'Power it Up' which looks at electricity. The children will be given opportunities to create different circuits and explore which materials are best for conducting electricity. We will also be learning about how to stay safe when working with electricity and carrying out investigations.

Religious Education

This term we will be learning about Judaism. We will be exploring Jewish beliefs, celebrations and rituals.

Geography

We will be learning to use an atlas to locate countries on a map focussing on those which were a part of the British Empire. We will then explore how the Empire has changed over time.

I.C.T

We will be looking at internet safety and how to stay safe online focussing on some of the following areas:

Cyber bullying

Sending/receiving emails

Privacy settings

Communicating online

Music

This term we will be using Charanga and our music focus will be Mamma Mia.

French

We will be learning about what makes France famous, how to greet people, and know the names of our family members in French.