

AUTUMN

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This Term's Books!



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Maths



We will focus on numbers to 1,000,000 in Autumn 1. We will then move onto learning about addition and subtraction, and multiplication and division of whole numbers.

Science



We will learn about animals including humans throughout Autumn term. During this unit, we will focus on balanced diets and learning about the job of the skeleton as well as the names for the bones in the body.

RE

In RE, we will learn about Christianity. Our first focus question is 'How have some people served God?' and our question for Autumn 2 is 'what does it mean to be a disciple?'



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Physical Education

In PE we will focus on the skills required to play netball, these include passing, pivoting, shooting and intercepting. We will also play invasion games where we will learn skills like dodging and defending. We will then put these into practice in game situations.

History

The children will be looking at the differences and similarities between periods of time in the stone age to iron age eras. We will focus on the use of tools, settlements and discoveries made in these times.

Geography

In geography, we will be answering the focus question: what are rivers and how are they used? We will explore the water cycle, how rivers are formed and used, and look at our local river and its human and physical features.



Modern Foreign Languages

In French, we will learn how to say and write greetings as well as learning to count and saying colours in French too.

RSE

Our first unit in RSE is Health and wellbeing. The children will learn about the importance of a balanced diet and regular exercise. They will also learn about the importance of rest and relaxation. In our second unit we will focus on family and relationships.

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Music

In music, we will be using Cheranga to access a variety of songs, where we will learn to play the glockenspiel alongside the songs.

Art and Design

In art, our first unit links with history where we will be studying prehistoric painting, where we will look at cave paintings and ways to create these. We will then move on to our craft and design unit which focusses on creating Egyptian scrolls.



Design Technology

In DT, we will complete our cooking and nutrition unit about eating seasonally and talking about food miles of produce found in supermarkets. The children will make recipes with seasonal fruits. The children will also make their own moving monster toy in our mechanical systems unit.

Computing

In the first half term, the children will be learning how to keep themselves safe online. In the second half term, we will look at computer systems and networks and we will focus on what is a network and how does it work?