



RE

Throughout this term, our RE focus is, 'Why do Christians call the day Jesus died, 'Good Friday?' In this unit, the children will order Creation and Fall, Incarnation, Gospel and Salvation within a timeline of the Bible's 'Big Story'. In addition to this, they will make simple links between the Gospel texts and how Christians mark the Easter events in their church communities.

Maths

This term we will be starting with fractions, before moving onto formal written methods for addition and subtraction. In addition to this, the children will be covering statistics, measurement – length and height before moving onto perimeter. Furthermore, we will be completing our Rockstar league, focusing on times tables taught so far. This will be completed two to three times per week.

English

In our English lessons this term, we will be using the text, 'Escape from Pompeii' by Christina Balit. The children will be making predictions, writing setting and character descriptions, diary entries, letters and ending with a historical narrative.

Spelling

We are following our whole school spelling programme – Read, Write Inc, there will be three spelling lessons a week alongside our weekly spelling test. Each term a spelling overview will be sent home and tests will be every Friday. The spelling overview will also be available to view on our class page on our website.

Science

This term we will be 'Teeth and Eating'. The children will learn about digestion and different types of teeth, before moving on to explore deadly predators and their prey, in their exploration of food chains. They will work scientifically throughout the topic, using enquiry, practical experiments and hands-on research to answer questions and investigate how we eat, why we eat and what we eat.

Computing

In Computing this term, our focus is 'Computing Systems and Networks - Journey inside a Computer'. The children will recognise inputs and outputs, explain that the parts of a laptop work together and the purpose of each part. In addition to this, they will explain what an algorithm is, suggest what memory is for inside a computer and make comparisons between different types of computers.





Music

In Music this term the class will be taught by Mrs Whiteley.

Geography

This term, the children will learn the key geographical characteristics of the United Kingdom. They will discover the different countries of the United Kingdom and the regions within England. Children will explore the human and physical features of the UK, including the types of settlements, key topographical features and how types of land use have changed over time before moving onto using maps and atlases to explore the UK and their local region while learning to use a compass, four-figure grid references, keys and symbols.



PSHE/RSE

This term, the children will be continuing with our scheme of work called SCARF, which is incorporated within our school values. Throughout this term, we will be focusing on 'Keeping Safe'.



Spanish

In Spanish lessons over this half term, we will be exploring *Ricitos de Oro y los tres Osos* (Goldilocks and the three bears) in Green class.



PE

This term the children will be taught by ASM (Specialist PE teachers) every Tuesday. Invasion games will be taught by Mrs Stanway this half term every Friday.



General Information

PE days: Tuesday and Friday, please come in full School PE kit.

Homework: Homework will be sent home on a Friday and due in the following Wednesday.

Home reading: Reading Diaries will be collected in every Friday. Each week, we ask for 5 signatures to be recorded in the diary.

If you have any questions, please come and chat to us.

Many thanks for all your help and continued support.

Mrs Stanway