

English

Year 3 will follow the Seahorses units for English.
Year 4 will follow the Sharks units for English this term.

Modern Foreign Language

This is France! will teach specific vocabulary to describe France's neighbours and positions/distances of a variety of cities. The children will learn about French landmarks and famous French people. All in a Day will teach pupils how to tell the time: o'clock, half past, quarter past, quarter to and 5-minute intervals. The 24-hour times will be used to read airport arrival/departure boards and a school timetable.

Geography

In Geography, we are learning all about energy and where it comes from. The children will learn about the importance of renewable energy, how the UK and USA source their energy as well as the best ways in which to generate energy.

History

In History we will be learning about World War Two and the impact this had on British people. The children will learn about the Blitz, the role of women during WW2, evacuation and why people migrated to Britain.

Physical Education

The children will start the term by focusing on dance as part of their Moving Targets performance at The Courtyard. The children will also be learning how to play basketball and tag rugby. The children will develop their knowledge of the rules, how to play tactfully and skills associated with these sports.

Mathematics

This term we will be focusing on fractions, multiplication and division as well as data handling. The children in Year 3 will be confident at knowing their 3x 4x and 8 x tables and year 4 will consolidate them all. The children will be using TTRockstars to develop their multiplication skills and a range of practical games.

Music

The children will learn to sing and play Soul music on the glockenspiels and/or recorders. They will compose and perform a simple melody.

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PSHE

We will be learning about 'Dreams and Goals' as well as 'Healthy Me'. The children will learn how drugs impact on our health as well as discussing what they hope to achieve in the future and how to cope when things happen that mean we can't always achieve these.

Religious Education

This term we are learning about Hindu Gods. We will also be looking at why Christians call the day that Jesus died Good Friday.

How you can help at home

- . Read regularly with your child and record this in their reading log
- . Practise multiplication and division facts
- . Practise spelling Year 3/4 common exception words

Science

In Science, we are learning about Rocks and Living Things and their habitat. When learning about rocks we will describe how fossils are formed, how soil is made and learn about the different types of rocks and their names. When learning about habitats we will be thinking of different ways we can group animals, create and use classification keys and describes how changes in the environment can be damaging to certain species.

Art/ Design Technology

In Art children will be looking at the meaning behind art. Children will analyse the intentions of Banksy; make ink symmetry prints inspired by psychologist Rorschach; tell a story using emojis; use drama to recreate a poignant war scene and are inspired by the ceramic work of Magdalene Odundo, to work expressively outside.

In DT the children are learning about seasonal foods and using their understanding to create a seasonal food tart.

Computing

This term we will be learning about records, fields and data and sorting and filtering data. Assuming the role of computer parts and creating paper versions of computers to consolidate understanding of how a computer works. We will also work collaboratively to create programmes in Scratch.