

English: Brightstorm by Vashti Hardy

This term's core text is a fantasy adventure which we are sure will inspire the children. We will be using the novel as stimulus for writing a range of persuasive texts as well as an additional chapter which could be added to the book.

In reading lessons children will be practising answering questions on a wide range of high level texts to prepare children for end of year 6 tests.

Geography

The children will be extending and practising their mapping skills as well as learning more about the physical and human geography of our local area. They will be learning how to read paper and digital maps using symbols and grid references.

Art/DT

The children will develop their photography skills to enable them to produce a range of creative photographic outcomes such as montages, self-portraits and recreating famous works of art.

RE

The children will consider what would make our community a more respectful place by considering the range of religions followed in our area.



Year 6 Curriculum Map Autumn 1

Values Responsibility

Reminders: homework will be set each Friday and is due to be completed by the following Wednesday. We will also be setting a geography based project which each child should be prepared to present to the year group. Don't forget the year 6 residential which will take place from 16th to 18 October.

Music

The children will be learning to play a range of percussion instruments and how to maintain rhythms.

Science

The children will learn about the process of classifying using tree diagrams. They will use this technique to help investigate and classify different types of living things.

French

The children will practise talking and writing about their hobbies and favourite activities in French.

Maths

The children will be revisiting the topic of Number which will include reviewing and extending the children's knowledge of place value, comparing & ordering numbers and number patterns. In our weekly arithmetic lesson, the children will strengthen their understanding of the four operations of addition, subtraction, multiplying and dividing.

PE

This term's focus in PE is developing the children's creativity and ball control skills as well as increase their level of fitness. The lessons will take place as follows: Kites—Tuesday and Thursday; Kestrels—Tuesday and Thursday; Eagles—Thursday and Friday.

PSHE

Our unit for this term is Being me in the World and will provide the children with an opportunity to set goals as well as learn more about their rights and obligations as a child.

Computing

The children will be learning about and using interactive maps to showcase our new learning in Geography about our local area.