

SCIENCE AND COMPUTING

Science

We will be learning about Forces and Magnets in Terms 1 & 2.

Why was Isaac Newton important?
How do magnets attract and repel?
What is friction and how can we use it?

ICT

What does e-safety mean? Do you know how to keep yourself safe online?
Can you prepare a multi-media presentation?

HUMANITIES (History, Geography, RE)

History

Why did World Wars I and II start? Who were the major players? What was it like to be a soldier? How did the life in Britain change during the wars? How did the technology of warfare change?

Geography

Which countries were involved in WWI and II? Where were the major fighting fronts? How did the war affect British cities?

RE

What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?
What is the Holy Trinity?

PE and Citizenship

PE

In Terms 1 & 2 we will be doing the following sports:
Year 3: Hockey, Tag rugby
Year 4: Tag rugby, netball

We will also be doing gymnastics and dance. How could you improve your skills for each sport?

PSHE

This term we will be looking at 'New Beginnings' and 'Getting on and Falling Out'. How can you work with others to meet new challenges and overcome problems?

ENGLISH

English

We will be studying 'One Boy's War' by Lynn Huggins-Cooper' alongside a range of short stories and wartime poetry. We will also be looking at looking at recounts and non chronological report writing

How does the author show rather than tell the reader what the main characters are like?
What is the backdrop against which the story is set?

How does Huggins-Cooper make us understand about life in the trenches in WW1? Where can you look for information and how can you check its accuracy?

How can war be poetic?

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CREATIVE DEVELOPMENT (Art, Music, Design Technology)

Art

Can you use different mediums to create a London Blitz picture?

Design Technology

Make Do and Mend! Can you apply your sewing skills and make an old sock into a sock puppet? Can you make the most of your rations and be a wartime cook?

Music

Can you perform some wartime songs and compose some simple ones of your own?

MATHS

Maths

Our learning will cover the following:

Term 1

Place value, mental addition and subtraction strategies, and shape.

Term 2

Mental multiplication and division strategies, written methods, measurement and statistics.

Can you use methods of $+$ $-$ \times and \div to make quick mental calculations?

What is the difference between perimeter and area? How do you work each out?

Can you classify 2d and 3d shapes?