

Science

Term 1

We shall be studying light. In this topic our focus will be on the principles of light travelling in straight lines, as well as transparent, translucent and opaque materials.

Term 2

The children will further their understanding of electricity from Year 4, focusing on components within a circuit and how these can be adapted for different outcomes.

Computing

The children will be developing their understanding PowerPoint, Microsoft Excel, Publisher and Word. Throughout the year the children will be reminded of the rules of internet safety, and their responsibility to act in a thoughtful and secure manner.

Design Technology

Our Design Technology will be linked to our learning of World War II, in particular 'make do and mend'. The children will be learning different sewing techniques in order to design and create their own 'make do and mend' project.

Religious Education

The children will be learning from two different religions about why their holy buildings and works of art matter to them as expressions of devotion to God and worship and how they practice generosity and charity.

Languages

The children will be broadening their French vocabulary this year. They will also develop their ability to understand new words.

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Art and Design

The children will have the opportunity to use a variety of media to produce artwork in the style of Henry Moore. This will improve their mastery of many techniques such as drawing and painting. Their use of sketch books will enable them to record, review and revisit ideas.

Geography

Through the context of WWII the children will learn about the changing political geography of Europe. They will be locating the world's countries using maps and atlases.

History

The children will be given the opportunity to extend their chronological knowledge by studying the Second World War. The children will learn about a wide range of aspects that affected Britain's home front.

Music

The children will be investigating the music and dance of the Wartime era. They will perform, sing and dance to 1940's music.

PE

The children will be taking part in basketball, and netball. There will be opportunity for competitive games and the children will be able to compare their performances to previous ones. We will also be linking our dance lessons to World War 2 by incorporating ballroom and Charleston styles.

PSHE

In term 1 the children will be thinking about working collaboratively, unhealthy relationships and conflicting feelings. In term 2 the focus will be on learning about legal and illegal drugs, risk and peer pressure.