

Science

This term we will be finding out about a variety of common British animals and birds.

We will investigate the meaning of the terms: carnivore, omnivore, herbivore, mammal, reptile, amphibian, invertebrate and vertebrate.

We will continue to look at seasons across the year, with a focus on the seasonal changes from winter to spring- studying weather changes, changes in nature for trees, plants and animals.

Computing

In Computing the children will be enjoying finding out about simple animation techniques. They will use an App (I can animate) to make their own short animation. They will be learning how to save and retrieve their own work.

Art & Design Technology

The children will develop a range of techniques using colour, line, pattern and texture. They will look at the work of sculptors such as Giacometti. They will use a range of materials to explore ways to make their own sculptures.

They will also explore textiles and find out about using different materials to weave.

Year 1 Term 3 and 4 2023



Enquiry based Learning Project

Term 3 Dinosaurs

Combining geography, history and science skills to solve the question 'How do we know about Dinosaurs?'

Term 4 Florence Nightingale

Combining geography, history and science skills to solve the question 'What was life like for Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole?'

History

The children will learn out about the life of a significant person from their own locality. We will be finding out about the scientist Mary Anning, who grew up in Lyme Regis. We will also be looking at a variety of timelines to see when dinosaurs lived and when they became extinct. We will also be finding out about and comparing the lives of Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole.

Geography

We will find out about the geography of seaside towns such as Lyme Regis and Margate.

The children will be learning the meaning of the words coast, beach, town, village, port, harbour, hill, cliff.

RE

We will be thinking about what it means to belong to a faith community, specifically Christians, Muslims and Jews, their symbols and traditions. We will also be looking at ways of welcoming a baby into a faith.

Music

The children will be singing songs and learning about how to use their voices creatively and expressively. They will experiment with beat and rhythm using drums and musical instruments.

PE

In P.E. the children will be learning basic gymnastics skills. They will explore different ways to move and balance. In Games they will be consolidating simple ball skills. We will also look at games involving attacking and defending skills.

PSHE

The children will be thinking about living in a diverse world and how communities work together, such as their class and school clubs.