

Maths

In maths, we will be continuing to look at the topics addition and subtraction with numbers up to 1 000 000 and then will move on to multiplication and division. We will also be practising mental maths, times tables and calculations daily. Please encourage your child to continue to practise their times tables regularly at home.

Science/Topic

Science: Properties and changes of Materials

Topic: Medieval Medicine - How did the medieval time influence our time? What types of people lived during the medieval time? What was medicine like during the period? How does it compare to the medicine of our time? What effect did the bubonic plague have on London? Compare and contrast the life of a poor person/wealthy person during the medieval time. How can we use primary and secondary sources to predict how medical equipment and medicine developed?

Other Subjects

PE: Hockey and stretch & Reflect.

Music: History of Music/Medieval Music

Art/DT: Drawing and creating dragons in different media.

Computing - Coding and word processing.

Forest School: Linked to science and topic.

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Diary dates & events

This half-term:

PE: For this term, we will be alternating PE days from Wednesdays one week, to Thursdays the following week. This week was:
Class 11 - Wednesday (w/b 011121)
Class 12 - Thursday (w/b 011121)
This will **alternate** for each class every week until further notice.

Children to come to school in PE kits please on their PE day.

Important dates

Tuesday/Wednesday 9th and 10th November - parents evening.

W/b - 15/11/21 - Anti-bullying week.

Friday 19th November - Children in Need.

Tuesday 23rd November - Year 5 school trip to 'Sick to Death' in Chester.

Thursday 16th December - Christmas Church Services.

English

In English, we will continue to look at the text, Beowulf by Michael Morpurgo, which links to our topic.

The children will be writing from a variety of contexts and genres: diary entries, epic poems, character and setting descriptions and writing their own legend.

Children will continue their learning of grammar, punctuation and spelling and apply these successfully in their writing.

RE & Worship

The Christian value we are embracing this half term is 'Service' and it will be the focus of assemblies and class services.

The R.E. theme is '*Christian Community.*'

Homework

Homework will be emailed out to parents every Friday. We would like homework to be photographed and uploaded to seesaw by the following Wednesday.

Spelling overview sheets will be sent out for your child's group. Spelling tests take place each Friday.

Thank you for your support.

