

English

The Write Stuff – Writing Focuses:

Narrative (story) - In this unit of work, the children will use the text, 'The True Story of the Three Little Pigs. The children will identify the plot points within the story and will use this powerful story to create their own stories based on the idea of being a refugee.

Poetry – Autumn is Here This unit of work will focus on a seasonal poem. We will learn how to use vocabulary and language to bring a season to life. We will then plan and independently write our own poems based on another season.

Non-Fiction (non-chronological report) – In this unit we will be looking at Skeletons and Muscles which is inspired by the book 'An Anthology of Intriguing Animals by Ben Hoare. Children will explore facts about animals with a specific focus on the Pangolin. They will use the taught sessions to assist with writing their own independent non-chronological report on another animal.

Whole Class Reading focus: Class novel: The Nothing to see Here Hotel Written by: Steven Butler. Illustrated by: Steven Lenton. Our main book for guided reading and comprehension skills will be 'The Nothing to see Here Hotel'. We will read a range of texts to promote children's love of reading and advance their knowledge of a range of different text genres. Reading at home: We ask that children read books that are allocated in school and brought home on a regular basis.



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Serve one another in love
Galatians 5v13

Topic Notes Year Group: 3 Boggle Hole Autumn Term 2024

Whole School Christian Values, Class Drivers and Information

During our whole school Worship sessions, we will be focusing on the Christian values of Thankfulness and Trust.

Boggle Hole PE days will be Tuesday and Thursday for this term but please check Class Dojo regularly as I will post on there with any changes.

Mrs Hugill and Mrs Randall will be the adults in the classroom Monday to Thursday, Mr Smith will teach the children science and RE on Friday mornings and Mrs Randall will teach Art and DT on Friday afternoons. Other adults in the classroom are Miss Nicholson and Mrs Knight.

Maths

White Rose Maths– Maths Focuses:

Place Value: We will be using White Rose Maths to advance and learn new skills in number and place value.

We will learn to: Represent numbers to 100 and 1000. Add 1's, 10's and 100's.

Number lines and 1, 10 and 100 more or less than a given number.

Addition and Subtraction: Adding and subtracting multiples in 1's, 10's and 100's

Adding and subtracting 1, 2 and 3 digit numbers crossing 10 and 100.

Multiplication and Division: Making equal groups and sharing.

Using arrays.

2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables.

Children will work with concrete objects and manipulatives to help them understand what they are doing.

They will also use pictorial representations which can be used to help reason and solve problems.

Both concrete and pictorial representations should support children's understanding of abstract methods.

Religious Education

What do Christians learn from the creation story? We will place the concepts of God on a timeline of the Bible's Big Story. We will make clear links between Genesis 1 and what Christians believe about God and Creation.

What is the Trinity? Identify the difference between a Gospel, which tells the story of the life and teaching of Jesus and a letter. Talk about what baptism and Trinity might mean. Describe how Christians show their belief about God the Trinity in worship.

PE and Games

Gymnastics The children will learn gymnastic skills such as balance, movement and routines. They will then have the opportunity to show their routines to other groups.

Striking and Fielding Games Children will learn the skills used in a range of striking and fielding games.

Computing

Programming

This Programming Turtle Logo and Scratch unit will teach children to create and debug algorithms. The children will use the basic commands in Logo to move and draw using the turtle on screen.

Emailing

In this unit, children will learn to send emails add attachments and learn about the importance of being kind online.

Science

Skeletons –Movement

In science we will identifying and naming bones in a human and will be exploring the functions of a skeleton. We will then look at bones in animals and explore animals without a spine – we will question whether all skeletons are the same. We will also consider how we move and look at joints.

Nutrition

In this unit of work we will look at the 5 main food groups and group them accordingly. We will look at healthy diets and will compare these. We will also look at animal diets.

Rocks

We will identify different types pf rocks, group rocks together and test rocks. We will also carry out a local rock survey.

Music

Let Your spirit fly by Joanna Mangona. We will be using Charanga for our music this year. We will focus initially on pulse, rhythm and pitch and appraise the song.

History/Geography

History – Roman Empire

Children will learn about the Roman Empire and their invasion of the UK. We will look at Boudica's rebellion and think about the changes that were made to Britain by the Roman's.

Geography – Desert Biome

In the second half of the term children will be learning about biomes, what a biome is and where they are found. We will be look at climates and weather in the deserts.

Art/Design & Technology

Art and Design Technology:

We will be focusing on Christmas crafts during the second half of the Autumn term.

Design Technology

In DT we will be working on cross stitch, we will use a cross-stitch to join two pieces of fabric together, design and cut the template for a cushion and use cross-stitch and appliqué to decorate a cushion face.

PSHCE and RSE

HeartSmart

We will be using the HeartSmart units of work to cover our PSHCE. We will begin by thinking about being positive and negative we will learn to allocate feelings to specific events and think about how we can protect our heart, keeping it healthy and look at life style choices. In the second half of the Autumn term we will be focusing on 'don't forget to let love in' we will recognise that each of us is loved, special and important, learn how to accept encouragement and recognise what love is and what it is not.

Modern Foreign Languages

French

Using Language Angels The children will begin the term looking at French sounds and becoming familiar with these before moving on to animals.