

English

In English this half term we will be looking at myths and fables. We will be looking at The Pied Piper of Michael Morpurgo as well as some other well-known myths. We will begin by choosing a character from the book to interview and role playing the questions we might ask them. Then we will have the opportunity to write our own myths.

We will write our myths by basing them off what we have read so far by choosing a dilemma and letting our original characters come up with a solution!

Art

In art we will explore tints and shades of colour as well as different techniques for creating various artistic effects (dabbling, stippling and layering). We will explore the work of George Seurat and produce artistic pieces in his style (pointillism).

DT

The outcome in Design Technology this term is to make (and eat!) some homemade food and, to tie in with our French learning, we will investigate crepes and how they can have savoury or sweet fillings. Children will think about how foods can be picked, farmed, home-grown, caught and they will have the chance to explore and select appropriate ingredients before safely peeling or chopping and slicing, (or grating) any harder foods.

Computing

Over the Summer Term, the children will be developing their skills and knowledge of coding and the use of coding programmes. They will develop skills in logical reasoning, solving problems by breaking them down into smaller parts, editing programmes to achieve specific goals and explain what a variable is in programming.

Music

This half term our samba lessons continue and we will build on the rhythm skills from last half term. We will extend our learning by looking at more complex paradigms and rotating around all of the samba instruments.

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French

This half term, we will focus on revisiting where in the world French is spoken and then think about cultural similarities and differences between the French way of life and that of us here in England.

PE

We will be developing skills in Athletics and Tennis this term. They will learn to show balance and coordination when running at different speeds and link running and jumping movements with some control and balance. They will develop their throwing skills further by changing technique from overarm to underarm depending on distance.

demonstrates balance and co-ordination when changing direction.

RE

This term the children will continue to learn about Hinduism and particularly how Hindus believe in One God who takes on many forms (deities) Children will approach this idea on a personal level by thinking about all the forms they take (pupil, son/daughter, friend, dancer, football player etc)

Science

In Science this half term we are exploring forces and magnets. This will involve exploring pushes, pulls and friction where we will explore the effect of the roughness of surfaces on the movement of objects. We will also explore magnetic attraction and repulsion as well as which materials are and are not magnetic. We will work scientifically by making comparisons and predictions and record data on bar charts.

Mathematics – Maths No-Problem!

In this half term, children will be looking at revisiting some prior learning such as mass, money and shape. Beyond this, we will continue to look at time, graphs and fractions. We will use a range of resources to support us in our learning and try to consolidate and deepen our understanding through regular further challenges.