

R,E. and P.S.H.E.

Creation and science: Conflicting or complementary. There is much debate and some controversy around the relationship between the accounts of creation and contemporary scientific accounts. Pupils will investigate and discuss how the discoveries of science make Christians wonder more about God.

New Beginnings: various skills needed when starting a new year at school including belonging, understanding and managing feelings, social skills, making choices and understanding their rights and responsibilities.

SMSC: Listen and respond appropriately to the views of others. Show respect for their environment. Develop an understanding of Britain's' local, national, European and global dimensions.

Art

People in Action: linking to Ancient Greek art. They will explore how to convey movement in their work looking at dynamic activities such as sport, dance, drama and music as a starting point for making work in 2D and 3D.

Homework

Times Tables—Monday
Spelling— Friday due Wednesday
Maths— Friday due Wednesday
Reading—Daily
Manga High
SPAG.com
Quizzes on Oddizzi

English

Composition: to plan, draft, edit and write a variety of fiction and non-fiction

Grammar: Capital letters, punctuation . ? ! , in a list ‘ ’ and nouns

Spelling: consonant and vowel sounds and blends, polysyllabic and compound words, plurals.

Reading and comprehension: Whole class reading, comprehension pieces and large texts, own choice reading and reading to a Reading Counsellor.

Moonstone

Autumn Term 1 Sept - Oct 2018

The Ancient Greeks

History

Ancient Greece: Pupils will learn about Greek life and achievements and their influences on Western world.

Music

Gamelan and cyclic patterns: learn about cyclic patterns and demonstrate them using tuned and untuned percussion, fit patterns together using texture and expanded their ideas using timbre, duration, tempo and dynamics.

Geography

Greece: Where it is and how to get there. Why people visit Greece today. The climate, terrain and shape of Greece including the islands.

Maths

Place Value: Reading and writing numbers up to a million, positive and negative numbers.

Number: Equivalent fractions, equivalence between fractions and decimals, improper fractions.

Calculation: Addition using significant digits, subtraction by counting up, multiplying 2 and 3 digits by a single digit, grid method and short multiplication, division and remainders.

Measures: Capacity including reading scales, rounding, and converting between metric units and imperial measures.

Shape and space: Co-ordinates, properties of 2D shapes,

Science

Evolution and Inheritance: Pupils will learn to recognise that living things have changed over time and that fossils provide information about living things that inhabited the Earth millions of years ago. They will be able to recognise that living things produce offspring of the same kind, but normally offspring vary and are not identical to their parents. Pupils will identify how animals and plants are adapted to suit their environment in different ways and that adaptation may lead to evolution.

P.E.

Monday and Tuesday

Games
Gymnastics

Computing

How computer work: Great journeys

French

A l'école du cirque—Circus

R,E. and P.S.H.E.

Christianity (Christmas): Key question - How significant is it that Mary was Jesus' mother? Pupils will be learning to analyse the Christian belief in the Virgin Birth and to assess the significance of this to Christians.

Getting on and falling out: Focusing on the value of diversity and cooperation in continuing to build a positive classroom ethos. Areas that will be covered will be friendship, seeing things from someone else's perspective, working together, managing angry feelings and resolving conflicts.

SMSC: Listen and respond appropriately to the views of others. Show respect for their environment. Develop an understanding of Britain's' local, national, European and global dimensions.

English

Composition: to plan, draft, edit and write a variety of fiction and non-fiction

Grammar: articles, adjectives, verbs, tense, adverbs, pronouns, prepositions

Spelling: prefixes, suffixes, homophones, letter string sounds,

Reading and comprehension: Whole class reading, comprehension pieces and large texts, own choice reading and reading to a Reading Counsellor.

Moonstone

Autumn Term 1 Nov - Dec 2018

The Ancient Greeks

Maths

Number: Decimal fractions, recognise odds, evens, squares, multiples and factors.

Calculation: Addition and subtraction using compensation.

Measures: Length including measuring and drawing lines, rounding, converting between metric and imperial units, reading scales.

Shape and space: Angles and rotation, properties of 3D shapes, translation.

Science

Electricity: Associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit. Compare and give reasons for variations in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches. Use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram. Construct simple series circuits to help answer questions.

D.T.

Greek Architecture: construct a Greek temple; think about its structure and features that make it a Greek temple.

History

Ancient Greece: Pupils will learn about Greek life and achievements and their influences on western world.

Homework

Times Tables—Monday
Spelling— Friday due Wednesday
Maths—Friday due Wednesday
Reading—Daily
Manga High
SPAG.com
Quizzes on Oddizzi

Music

Hip Hop: To learn what rap means and where it come from. To create and perform raps, to create basic beatbox sounds and read and create rhythms using a beat grid. To create a hook on an instrument.

P.E.

Monday and Tuesday

Games
Dance

Computing

Algorithms and programming: Greek mythology

French

Les petites bêtes – Mini-beasts