

Creative (Art, DT, Music)**Design and Technology:**

In our D.T. lessons this term, we will be looking at different towers around the world before designing, making and evaluating our own towers, using a range of different materials.

Art and Design:

In Art this term we will be learning about modern art, studying the work of pop artists like Roy Lichtenstein and Andy Warhol, before using painting techniques to create our own pieces.

Music:

We will continue to have lessons this term with our Music specialist. As well as this, we will be working on developing our recorder technique, learning to play some short songs.

PE:

We are learning football skills and practising dance in Spring 1, before moving onto rugby and tennis skills in Spring 2. We will also continue to take part in the 'Fit for Life' programme.

MFL:

We will start Spring 1 looking a building on our knowledge of verbs in Spanish, saying what we like and dislike. We will then start to learn the names of different fruits.

Computing:

In Computing, we are starting Spring 1 by taking part in programming, using both Scratch and Turtle Academy to explore coding. In Spring 2, we are going to look at gathering data and organising it into databases.

Throughout Spring term we will continue to look at online safety and digital literacy as a key focus. This includes discussing our online identity and how we manage online relationships, as well as cyberbullying.

Websites

Times Table Rockstars - <https://trockstars.com/>

Humanities (History, Geography)**History:**

In History this term, we will be building on our learning about the Stone Age by focusing on the Bronze Age and Iron Age in Britain. We will understand where this period fits into history using a timeline, as well as some of the significant events and developments of the Ages.

Geography:

This term in Geography we are going begin by looking at trade around the world, including the trading of food, beverages, and resources. We are also going to look at different types of tourism and what attracts people to different destinations.

Spring Term in Y3/4**Books/resources/films/music/visits/visitors/role play etc.**

Role play in History

English:

Instructions
Poetry
Advertising/poster
Narrative
Biography

Basic Skills:

Suffixes
Subordinating conjunctions
Apostrophes for possession and contraction
Word classes

Reading:

We will continue to look at retrieval, inference and vocabulary skills, as well as summarising and predicting. We will also start to make comparisons.

Science:

During the first half term, we will be looking at sound - exploring the ideas of sound waves as vibrations through a range of different instruments.

Spring 2 is going to be a dedicated 'science term', during which the children will be using scientific enquiry and investigation.

RE:

In Spring 1, we are going to studying Sikhism, discussing what it means to be a Sikh in Britain today, as well as learning key vocabulary.

In Spring 2, we will focus on Easter and where this fits into the Big Story of the Bible. We will answer the question, Why do Christians call the day Jesus died Good Friday?

PRsHE:

We will be discussing two questions:
Why should we eat well and look after our teeth?
Why should we keep active and sleep well?
We will also be looking at Spirituality across the term.

Maths:

Fractions (and Y4 decimals)
Length and perimeter (and Y4 area)
Properties of shape
Mass, Capacity and Temperature
Money

Multiplication and division
Statistics
Four operations problems

Maths retrieval:

Y3 - 3 x table, 6 x table
Y4 - consolidation of times tables