

MATHS

Decimals

Fractions as decimals
Understanding thousandths
Rounding, comparing and ordering decimals
Percentages

Properties of shape

Measuring angles in degrees with a protractor
Drawing lines and angles accurately
Calculating angles on a straight line and around a point
Calculating angles and lengths in a shape
Regular and irregular polygons and reasoning about 3D shape

Position and Direction

Position, translation and reflection

Converting Units of Measurement

Volume

SCIENCE

Earth and Space

We will be learning to describe and explain the movement of the Earth and other planets relative to the Sun, the movement of the Moon relative to the Earth and how night and day are created.

Forces

We will be learning about gravity and the impact that it has on our lives. We will learn about the effects of friction, air resistance, water resistance. We will also learn about how levers, pulleys and gears allow a smaller force to have a greater effect.

ART & DESIGN

Through our history project including the Suffragette movement, we will learn about the history of posters produced at the time and design and paint our own Suffragette poster art in the style of the time.

MUSIC

Music lessons will be provided by the Oxfordshire County Music Service. The children will continue to learn to play a brass instrument.

From
Absolute
Monarchy

To
Absolute
Democracy

This term, we will be learning about the journey through history from absolute monarchy to absolute democracy. We will begin by learning about parliament and democracy today including our British Values. We will then go back to a time of absolute democracy. We will learn about the Feudal System, the Magna Carta, the English Civil War and the execution of King Charles I. We will learn about the Suffragette movement and the vote for women. We will end our topic with a visit from our local MP, Robert Courts.

RE

Easter

We will learn about the Church's Celebration of Easter through the Easter Vigil, and the Church's belief in eternal life through the Easter Story and the Story of the Ascension of Jesus into heaven.

Pentecost

Our Pentecost unit will give children a greater insight into the Church's belief in the Holy Spirit. It will also explore the Christian belief in the Holy Trinity, and prayer and devotion to the Holy Spirit. We will explore the significant role that the Apostles played in proclaiming the Good News.

The Work of the Apostles

Pupils will reflect on the work of the Apostles as building the foundations of the Church which continues to proclaim the Good News of Christ today.

Marriage and Holy Orders

We will learn about the Sacraments of Marriage and Holy Orders. This unit is designed to help children appreciate that everybody has some responsibility and part to play in the life of the Church.

ENGLISH

Fiction

- Newspaper report about the execution of Charles I in 1649 during the English Civil War.

Non-Fiction

- We will write a formal letter to our local MP, Mr Robert Courts, asking him to visit us in school.
- Biography of Emmeline Pankhurst.

Whole Class Guided Reading

Goodnight Mr. Tom by Michelle Magorian.

COMPUTING

We will use Scratch Geometry to learn how to reflect, rotate and translate shapes.

We will build upon our previous knowledge of Scratch to design and build a game using coding.

FRENCH

We will learn to listen to and give directions. We will learn the vocabulary for different foods, locating words in a bilingual dictionary and learn to express likes/dislikes. We will pronounce the letters of the alphabet and learn to spell out our names.

PE

Through lessons in rounders, we will learn passing skills as well as tactics for attacking and defending. We will learn to gain possession by working as a team and to field the ball.

During athletics lessons we will develop control when taking off and landing, throw with increasing accuracy and to combine running and jumping.

During tennis lessons from an LTA tennis coach, we will learn to control the ball and use a racket to deliver both forehand and backhand shots.

We will attend swimming lessons at Chipping Norton Health Centre and develop competency in a range of swimming strokes over at least 25 metres.

