

Maths

This half term, we will be learning more about fractions. We will look at unit, non-unit and equivalent fractions as well as getting to grips with adding and subtracting fractions with the same denominators. We will finish the term by looking at how fractions and decimals are related.

We will continue with daily times table practice before the Year 4 Multiplication Check in June.

RE

Our Big Question for our RE lessons this term is 'Should Believers give things up?' We will study the practice of fasting in Christianity.

English

This term, we are beginning by studying some traditional tales from England as well as some other cultures. We will think carefully about the different elements of 'told' stories and how they differ from read stories as well as writing our own stories. We will then study and write some poetry learning more about wordplay.

French

In French this term we will look at a traditional French story and learn how to name and talk about pets in French.

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Our Town

PE



We will continue with swimming lessons each Wednesday this term. In our indoor PE sessions, we will develop and apply our sending and receiving and counter balance with a partner through focused skill development sessions, cooperative games and group Personal Best challenges.

Topic

We will be learning about Headington, and looking at how it has changed over time. We will also enjoy a trip to the local area, looking at land use and taking part in recording data and analysing this to look for patterns.



Science

This term our work is based on living things and their habitats. We will be looking at our local environment and exploring the use of classification keys to group and identify plants and animals. We also learn how changes to environments can pose dangers to living things.

PSHE/Circle time

We will learn about sun safety, the importance of dental hygiene and more about friendships and what makes us a good friend.

Art

In Art the children will learn about weaving and industrialisation in Victorian times, and create a woven object inspired by the Arts and Crafts movement.

Music

We will continue with our weekly music lessons in class with Mrs Graham as well as learning Gamalan with Isabelle Carre.

Computing

In computing, we will consider how and why data is collected over time. We will consider the senses that humans use to experience the environment and how computers can use special input devices called sensors to monitor the environment. We will collect data as well as access data captured over long periods of time. Then, we will look at data points, data sets, and logging intervals.