



Year 6 Autumn Term 2023

English

This term, we will be reading 'Kensuke's Kingdom' by Michael Morpurgo. In our writing lessons, we will be focusing on how to write to entertain the reader by writing our own version of Kensuke's Kingdom from a different character perspective.

Maths

In maths, we will be looking at place value in order to read, write, order and compare numbers to 10 million. We will also be recapping our learning on rounding. We will then move onto addition and subtraction skills.

Relationships and Health Education

In RHE, we will be focusing on the topic of respecting ourselves and others. We will be thinking about expressing opinions and respecting other points of view, including discussing topical issues.

Key vocabulary: values, behaviour, respect, manners, self-respect, role model

RE

We will be exploring the topic 'Creation and science: conflicting or complementary' to understand differing beliefs on how our Earth was formed.

Geography

Our key question this term is 'Why do people migrate?' We will be comparing contrasting settlements and using atlases to locate countries and key topographical features around the world.

History

This term, we will be exploring the key question 'How did the Industrial Revolution impact society?' We will look specifically at its impact on tourism in Torbay.

PE

In PE, this half term, we are focusing on invasion games and teambuilding. Our PE lessons will take place on Fridays.

Science

This half term, we will be focusing on electricity and looking at how circuits are created. We will be moving onto looking at light and understanding how light travels.

Art

This half term, we will be focusing on the artist Simon Drew and using different sketching techniques such as shading and hatching.

Modern Foreign Languages (MFL)

In Spanish, this term, we are going to focus on the topic " Yo en el mundo" (Me around the world) where the children are going to learn all about the many countries in the world that speak Spanish, different festivals (religious and non-religious) around the world. Also, they will learn that we are different and yet all the same and that we can all help to protect our planet.

Music

This term will be based on the pop song 'Happy' by Pharrell Williams and we will be playing recorders to accompany it. Alongside this, we will starting to develop our knowledge of written music, introducing notation, keys and time signatures.

Computing

As users of technology, we will be learning how data is transferred over the internet.