



Year 6 Autumn Term 2024

English

This term, we will be reading the fairy tale, 'Hansel and Gretel'. In our writing lessons, we will be focusing on how to write to entertain the reader by writing our own version of Hansel and Gretel 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 'What was Torquay like during the Victorian Era'. We will be learning about the Victorian Era and the industrial revolution and how that, and the reign of Queen Victoria impacted Torquay.

PE

In PE, this half term, we are focusing on invasion games and gymnastics. 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 learn how to say different types of fruit with the correct determiner. They will learn how to say these in singular and plural forms.

Music

In Music, we are going to be basing our learning on the song "Happy" by Pharrell Williams. We will be listening to other songs that make us happy too. We will be singing in different parts and learning to play an accompaniment on the recorder.

Computing

In this unit, learners explore how data is transferred over the internet. Learners focus on addressing, before they move on to the makeup and structure of data packets. We then look at how the internet facilitates online communication and collaboration, completing shared projects online.