SCIENCE

Living Things and their Habitats

Children will learn how to identify a range of British plants and animals and how to classify organisms, including the use of classification keys. They will also consider why organisms live in different habitats and the impact, both positive and negative, that humans can have on environments.

RE

RECONCILIATION– Inter-relating

Children will explore and know that a person has to acknowledge wrongdoing before being reconciled to others and to God. Children will recap on the The Sacrament of Reconciliation and explore different parables that show this.

COMPUTING

Composing Beats

Children will identify and discuss the main elements of music and create a melodic phrase using varied notes and pitch. They will compose a piece of electronic music.

HISTORY

Countries of the World

Children will learn about the location of countries around the world, as well as their human and physical geographical features, from time zones and climate to population and culture.

MATHS EXPECTATIONS

We will:

- Read and tell the time using the 24 hour clock
- Calculate the area of squares, rectangles and rectilinear shapes
- Explore lines of symmetry in patterns and shapes
- Explore tessellations

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ENGLISH EXPECTATIONS

Our class novel will be The Last Bear by Hannah Gold. Using this, we will write our final narrative including powerful vocabulary and figurative language.

We will also write an explanation text using different lifecycles of animals as our stimulus and create a non-chronological report on weird and wonderful creatures of the world.

PE

Swimming and Striking and Fielding

Children will develop and apply simple tactics in Striking and Fielding games such as Cricket and Rounders. Children will continue to develop their swimming ability and use a range of strokes effectively.

ART

Bread

Children will taste and describe different varieties of bread from around the world. They will learn about the different food groups and plan their own healthy means including bread. They will follow a simple recipe to make bread.

MUSIC

Violins

Children will continue to play their violins with increasing control. Children will also be taught how music is produced in different ways and experience such elements as pitch, duration, timbre, texture, tempo and dynamics.

PSHE

A World Without Judgement - Breaking Down Barriers

Children will recognise positive attributes in others and explain why being different is ok. They will recognise their own strengths and goals and identify some of the ways we can overcome barriers and promote equality.

INFORMATION - This is the last half term of Year 4! Children will complete their Multiplication Check between Monday 1st June and Friday 12th June. We are excited for end of year celebrations such as Sports Day, Talent Show and Pupil of the Year. Our school trip to Eureka is on Thursday 25th June.