SCIENCE

Building Bridges

Children will explore structures and learn about building towers and bridges. They will look at animals as builders and plan and construct a home for an animal in a certain habitat.

RE

PENTECOST – Serving
RECONCILIATION– Inter-relating

Children will explore and understand the wonder and power of the Holy Spirit. They will explore how the new life of the Easter message is spread through the power of the Holy Spirit and know that a person has to acknowledge wrongdoing

COMPUTING

Logo

EXPECTATIONS

Children will be introduced to Logo programming, focusing on developing an understanding of basic commands and programming concepts. Children will learn to create shapes and letters using instructions that contain advanced features such as procedures.

HISTORY

Local History of Padiham

EXPECTATIONS

Children will become historians and explore their local area of Padiham. They will look at local historical events, industries and explore the historical building of Gawthorpe Hall. Children will take part in local walks around the area identifying archives and

MATHS EXPECTATIONS

We will:

- Draw and measure angles in degrees
- Read and plot coordinates
- Explore parallel and perpendicular lines
- Read and tell the time using the 24 hour clock

St John the Baptist

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ENGLISH EXPECTATIONS

Children will read the novel Stitch Head by Guy Bass.

We will focus on how to create an effective character description using high level vocabulary and write our own story openings. We will also focus on fronted adverbials and different sentence structures and openers to engage the reader.

PE

Swimming and Target Games

EXPECTATIONS

Children will explore and learn how to perform over arm throws along with target practice. Focusing on their hand and eye coordination. children will continue to develop their swimming ability, to use a range of strokes effectively.

ART

Sonia Delaunay

EXPECTATIONS

Children will find out about the artist's early life, who and what she was Influenced by and how she developed her own distinctive style of art. They will explore how Sonia Delaunay branched out into the fashion world and the legacy she left behind.

MUSIC

Violins

EXPECTATIONS

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

The Working World - Chores at home

Children will understand the importance of the working world. They will understand how we can we support our society, our community and our family and friends. Children will understand what chores are and how you can be responsible.

INFORMATION - We hope you had a lovely Easter break. We will continue to have a focus on times tables. Children are encouraged to practice their times tables both verbally and written. Please make use of Times Table Rockstars and Topmarks Hit the Button. Children will continue to receive spellings and maths and English homework each Friday.