



English Writing

We will explore 'How to find Gold' and write instructions and narratives. Grammatical features we will learn this half term include; revising all year 1 grammar, using conjunctions accurately and learning how to develop sentences by using expanded noun phrases. Punctuation we will be learning are how to use commas in a list and reminders on how to use an exclamation mark correctly.

English Reading

RWinc Phonics and Daily Supported Reading
Children will continue to have daily streamed phonics and reading lessons. Please ensure they are reading for 20 minutes every evening and this is being recorded in their reading records. Children will be reassessed for their levels towards the end of the term.

Science

Living Things and Their Habitats
We will recap what we learnt in Year 1 about living things and explore the differences between things that are living, dead, and have never been alive. Through observation and simple scientific investigations, we will learn about a range of habitats and discover how plants and animals are suited to the environments in which they live.

Religious Education

Christianity : How do the symbols of Easter help us to understand the meaning of Easter for Christians?

We will explore how symbols of Easter help Christians understand the meaning of Easter. We will learn about key symbols such as bread, wine and the cross, explore ideas of forgiveness, and consider how different crosses, including the Ethiopian cross, express Christian beliefs.

Mathematics

Length and Height

We will review and extend our learning of measuring and comparing lengths and heights. We will master these by incorporating the 4 operations within measuring.

Mass, Capacity and Temperature

We also begin to explore different units of measurement. We will cover grams and kilograms as well as millilitres and litres.

Music

Creating music —Musical conversations

We place an emphasis on composing music through musical conversations, linking with composition and improvisation. We will create music that involves dialogue and interaction, enhancing creative and expressive musical skills.

History

The Tudors

This unit introduces children to the Tudor monarchs, building on their learning from Year 1 about kings and queens. Pupils will focus on Henry VIII and his children, exploring the Tudor family tree, their reigns, and how they shaped England using historical sources.

Art

Landscape and Symmetry

We will explore landscape painting and symmetry by studying artists such as Turner, Constable, Rousseau and Uzo Egonu, learning how different artists observe, imagine and represent the world. We will create our own seascapes, urban landscapes and temporary symmetrical sculptures using a range of drawing, painting and sculpting techniques.

PSHE

Living in the Wider World—What is money?

In this unit, pupils will explore what money is and the different forms it can take, how people earn money, and how we make choices about spending or saving. They will also learn how money and actions can be used to support charities through fundraising, donations, and giving time or service.

Computing

Data and Information - Pictograms

Pupils learn about data collection using tally charts, organising data with attributes, and presenting it using pictograms and block diagrams. They'll then use the data to answer questions.

P.E.

Fridays—Ball Sports

Trips and Visits

Charterhouse