

English

Fiction – Fantasy and adventure:

'One Thousand and One Arabian Nights' by Geraldine McCaughrean

Folklore Tales

Non-Fiction:

This term we will be looking at recount texts and distinguishing between fact and opinion. 'How The Body Was Discovered'.

Poetry

This term we will be studying the poem 'The Way through the Woods' by Rudyard Kipling.

PSHE – Our changing bodies

This term we will be focusing on the children being aware of their own self-image and developing their self-esteem. We will also be looking at the changes our bodies undergo from childhood to adulthood.

Excursions / Enrichment

We will be visiting the Marshall Tufflex factory in Hastings. This trip educates the children in the process of manufacturing and how their design for a product can be developed into a finished item. This will be a really insightful day where children view a local business which is a world leader in its industry. The children will experience problem solving within a working context.

Science

This term the children will be learning about a variety of forces including gravity, air resistance, water resistance and friction. They will explore how simple mechanisms can be used to make work easier. They will observe how gravity causes an unsupported object to fall towards the Earth. Children will carry out a range of activities to identify the effects of friction, air resistance, and water resistance.



Curriculum Web Year 5 – Term 6

Curriculum Enrichment Topic: The Ancient Egyptians

The children will explore and learn about life in Ancient Egyptian civilization. They will explore how people lived, ate and were educated. This will be done through art, DT, PSHE, music and drama. We will also study the geography of Northern Africa, the importance of the River Nile and how archaeology has allowed us to know more about Egyptians, their ways of worship and their values.

Maths

- Fractions, ratio and proportion
- Geometry: Area and perimeter
- Data: Reading and interpreting graphs. Creating data
- Decimals, percentages and their equivalent fractions
- Written and mental calculations

P.E.

PE will be on a Monday and a Wednesday but please ensure your child has their kit in school at all times – thank you.

This term children will be focusing on their striking and fielding skills through a variety of sports. We will also be practising athletics and outdoor team games, focusing on a range of skills including ball skills and teamwork.

Computing

The children will be programming and coding their own racing games using DB Primary, which they can then play on touch screen laptops.