

PE:
This term, our sessions will be guided by the Premier Sports Group and they will take place on Mondays. We will be taking part in gymnastics. Please ensure your child comes to school in their P.E. kit on Mondays. Football Club will be on a Friday & Netball Club will be on a Tuesday – please can children bring trainers for sports clubs. Whilst it is muddy, children can bring a change of bottoms for Football on a Friday.

Forest School:

We are extremely fortunate to be able to access provision for outdoor learning which can increase a child's confidence and self-esteem through exploration, problem solving, and being encouraged to learn how to assess and take appropriate risks depending on their environment. *Please ensure children come to school with appropriate clothing and footwear for these sessions.*

Music:

As musicians, we will be listening to and appraising a range of different music lyrics and songs. We will be engaging in playing steel drums this term taught by Jane Bickel.

History and Geography:

As geographers, we will learn about Mountains. We will look at the physical features of a mountain and learn about mountains in the UK and mountain chains in Europe and the World. We will look at how mountains have formed and the different types of mountains.

As historians, the children will learn about the Tudors. They will learn about the timeline of events such as how the Tudors came to power, the significance of Henry VIII's and Elizabeth I's reign and where the Tudors fit into the history of Britain. The children will develop analytical skills and look at the benefits and problems of both primary and secondary sources of information.

Art & Design

As artists, we will be learning about sculptures and the work of Antony Gormley. He went to boarding school and then studied archaeology, anthropology and the history of art at Trinity College, Cambridge. Most of his work is shaped around the contours of the human body. Antony Gormley usually starts his sculptures by taking a cast of his own body. He wraps himself up in cling film and then covers himself in clay. He tends to use concrete, iron and other materials in his sculptures. Antony Gormley won the Turner Prize in 1994. The Angel of the North in Gateshead is Antony Gormley's most famous sculpture.

Craft Class Year 3,4,5 & 6 Spring - 2024



RE:

In R.E. we will be looking at what Christians believe God is like. We will use both the Old Testament and the New Testament to find out, along with art and sculpture to help develop an idea of what Christians think God is like.

Christian Distinctiveness:

We demonstrate our Christian Values through daily acts of collective worship, singing worship and family group acts of worship.

Science:

As scientists, we will be investigating Electricity. The children will gain an understanding of which scientists have influenced the use and understanding of Electricity. We will also look at appliances that use Electricity, how it is sourced, stored and used. The children will also build their own simple circuits and investigate the criteria that alters a circuit.

Maths:

As mathematicians, we will be learning about multiplication and division. Throughout this unit Y5 and 6 will be multiplying 4 digit numbers by a 1 digit number and progressing to 4 digits by 2 digits. We will look at area models to help understand the process. We will also move on to fractions and multiplying fractions by an integer (whole number). Years 3 and 4 will also be working on multiplication and division and will look at multiples of 10, related calculations and reasoning. We will also move on to length and perimeter (measuring and equivalent lengths.) We will continue to have daily times tables sessions to increase fluency.

RHE:

As responsible citizens living in the wider world, the children will understand about Citizenship, Human rights and Community.

English:

As writers, our learning will be underpinned by the purpose of writing 'to persuade'. We will be looking at Non-Fiction texts in the format of speeches. We will research and endeavour to write our own speeches. We will look at how to write effective sentences using noun phrases, alliteration and emotive verbs to make our speeches persuasive. We will look at the text 'Azzi In Between' by Sarah Garland. The children will continue to read regularly at both school and at home and there will be a new incentive for those that read at home at least five times a week. We will also start learning new spellings each week.