Summer Term Holistic Plan 2022

Maths

 Maths, we will be continuing with PowerMaths.
Once we have finished everything we need to know about fractions, decimals and percentages, we will be moving onto learning about geometry and measurements.

Science

In the Summer Term, biology will be our focus. We will be looking at two topics, the first is 'Living things and their habitats'. As part of this topic, we will be investigating the life cycles of animals, insects, mammals, amphibians and birds. We will also be working scientifically by observing and comparing the life cycle of plants in our local environment to those in the rainforest. Finally, we will be describing the life processes of reproduction in some plants by growing new plants from different parts of parent plants. As part of this topic, we will also be learning about the water cycle too.

Our second science topic is: 'Living Things: Animals' where we will be learning about and describing the changes of humans as they develop into old age.

Our final topic will be change of state - a chemistry topic. We will be learning about the properties of different material. We will consider how to separate them to.

English

In English, we will be trying to cover as much as we can and writing as many wonderful things as possible. This will include descriptive writing, powerful persuasive writing, rainforest writing and much more.

R.E

First, we will be finishing our topic on Islam and how the Mosque promotes the idea of one community just like a church does.Then we will move to looking more closely at the 5 pillars of Islam and how Muslims show community is important.

Next. we will look at the Jewish faith and why Passover is important to them.

Finally, our last topic will focus on the 'Holy Spirit'. The big questions we will be asking this term are: What part do Christians believe the Holy Spirit plays in confirmation? What part do Christians believe the Holy Spirit played in helping the disciples in the arly church? Tennis and Cricket will be your P.E focuses for this term.

In Tennis, you learn how use forehand shots to control the direction of the ball, play backhand shots with consistency and learn how to use footwork and positioning to play competitive rallies.

In Cricket, you will learn the key skills involved in playing rounders. They will learn how to grip the back correctly, take up a suitable stance and strike the ball consistently. They will also learn basic bowling techniques and perform a range of fielding techniques confidently.

French

We will be continuing with our 'All Around Town' Unit. In this unit, are learning to develop your intercultural understanding by being introduced to the sights of some typical French cities. You will also learn to describe places in a town, count to 100 and give your address in French.

PHSE

Our two units this term are: 'Fake Is A Mistake and 'No Way through Isn't true',

Computing

In Computing this term, we will be using the SpliceApp to create a slideshow of the pictures we take and information we gather during our research into the rainforest. When using the SpliceApp, we will learn editing skills to add audio over the top of our pictures.

Art

For Big Art, we will be using mixed media techniques to create large tropical rainforest leaves They will be added to our rainforest displays in the classroom. Our artist for the term is Georgia O'Keefe. We will be learning about her style and experimenting with her painting techniques. Finally, we will then be creating our own Georgia O'Keefe inspired art work.

History

We will be learning about the Mayan Civilisation during our history topic this term. We will learn what it would have bee like to live during this time and what made the Mayan civilisation unique.



D.T

Our D.T focus this term is cooking and nutrition. We will be learning about the components of a healthy diet. You will also be learning how to select from and use a wider range of tools and equipment to perform practical tasks accurately. You will increase your knowledge of cutting skills and by the end of the unit you will have made, quesadillas, salsa and guacamole.

Music

For Music this term, we will be practicing our songs for 'Young Voices'. After the event, we will continue with our charanga scheme of work. We will be learning how music can shape life and be looking at the genres Pop, hiphop, funk, 21st and 20th century orchestral

Geography

You will be learning about the Amazon Rainforest – with brief overviews of other rainforests. We will be learning about climate zones and identifying each of them. Next, we will be identifying the different biomes of the world, particularly focusing on the rainforest biome. You will explore this biome and learn about the habitats and animals it supports (this will link in with the geographical and human features of the Amazon we will be learning about). Finally, we will turn our attention to deforestation and how this is dramatically affecting our world.