English

Writing

We will begin the half term by writing a letter using persuasive language and rhetorical questions. We will then go on to use expanded noun phrases, fronted adverbials and speech to write a refugee narrative. This will be followed by a diary entry using a range of emotive language. These texts will be based on The Journey by Francesca Sanna.



Reading

In Shared reading, we will share and discuss a range of Non-fiction, fiction and poetry with a History theme based around Vikings.



Music & DT

In DT, we will focus on food and nutrition. We will evaluate a range of fruit pies taking taste and presentation into account. We will design our own considering a particular purpose and then go on to create them. In Music, we will explore melodies and lyrics including raps and rhymes. We will also begin to learn basic guitar skills.

Science

In Science, we will learn about animals including humans.

We will learn all about our digestive system and how it breaks down food. We will learn all about the functions of teeth and how different animals have different teeth, according to their diet. We will be learning all about food chains and know that all chains begin with a plant, which is a producer. We will learn that animals eat plants and are primary consumers and that primary consumers may be eaten by secondary consumers or predators.



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PHSE

This half term, we will be thinking about our own health and wellbeing. We will be learning all about our physical health and mental wellbeing. This will include how to maintain a balanced lifestyle. We will also be learning about how our body changes as we grow, including puberty, personal hygiene, medicines and household products.

Maths

Now that we know our times tables, we can move on to explore distributive and associative law. We will also go on to learn about factors.

In our unit on Fractions, we are going to recognise and show, using diagrams, families of common equivalent fractions. We are going to solve problems involving increasingly harder fractions to calculate quantities, and fractions to divide quantities, including non-unit fractions where the answer is a whole number. Finally, we will also add and subtract fractions with the same denominator

RE

This half term will consider special food. We will explore how food is used as part of celebrations, festivals, rituals and to commemorate significant events. We will explore special food types, meals and what they represent. We will also think about how some religions give food up at special times and how this links to beliefs.

Computing

In computing, we will come back to our work on programming and at look at repetition games.

PE

This half term we will explore the game of boules and will consider the type of lob and effect of terrain. We will also master the sport of ultimate Frisbee, which is a fast paced and strategic game which combines elements of different sports