

Love Learning, Care for Community, Build Bright Futures

English

In English this term we are reading the books *Journey to Jo'burg* by Beverly Naidoo and *Kensuke's Kingdom* by Michael Morpurgo. The children will be continuing to write a narrative and a non-fiction letter.

History - In Summer 1 we will be looking at how the Suffragette Movement changed the way women started to be seen and heard. In Summer 2 we will be looking at the Tudor reign from Henry VII to Elizabeth I.

Geography - Rivers - We will be learning about the water cycle, how rivers are formed, the importance of the River Thames and about the wildlife surrounding rivers and what we can do to protect it.

Art and Design and Design Technology (DT)

In Art we will be creating sculptures inspired by the work of Japanese contemporary artist Yayoi Kusama.

In DT we will be cooking a dish inspired by the cuisine of our country of the year, Belgium.

Computing - The children will be learning more about coding.

- Children can use simplified code to make their programming more efficient.
- Children can use variables in their code.
- Children can create a simple playable game.

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Science - In Science we will be covering the human life cycle and later in the term the children will be learning about SRE. More information about this will be sent out prior to these lessons.

RW - We will still be covering our religion of the year - Sikhism. This term the children will be learning about the comparisons of celebrations around the world and why they are important and worship in the world and how can we influence the world.

Maths

In Maths this term, we will be covering geometry - shape and position and direction, numbers - decimals and negatives and measurement - volume and converting units.

PE - The children will be working on their fitness level, strike and control in cricket, dance and athletics. The girls will also have the opportunity to learn rugby skills from a member of the Harlequins women's team.

Spanish - Children will be learning how to describe the colour of their eyes, style and colour of their hair, their physical appearance and describing what someone else looks like.