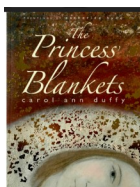




English Writing

We will explore the texts "The Princess Blanket" and "Can We Save The Tiger?" In these units children will write discussion texts letters, explanations, persuasive posters, speeches and simple poems.



English Reading

'We will be reading 'Cosmic' by Frank Cottrell Boyce. While we read, we will explore the narratives themes, moods and building on our existing reading strategies.



Science

Animals including humans

children learn how humans grow and develop. They look at the six stages of the human life cycle – fetus, baby, child, adolescent, adult and elderly adult. Children briefly look at the key features of each stage of the human life cycle, but will explore each stage in more detail throughout this block.

Religious Education

World Faith: Christianity

What happens in churches during Lent, Holy Week and Easter Sunday?

Pupils will learn about what happens in Churches during Ash Wednesday, Palm Sunday, Monday Thursday, Good Friday, Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday and consider how these affect Christians and their lives.

Mathematics

Decimals and Percentages: Students will learn about decimal numbers with up to three decimal places, rounding decimals, and how to find equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages.

Perimeter and Area: Pupils will learn how to find the perimeter of rectilinear shapes and polygons. They will then find and estimate the area of rectangles.

Music

Creating Music for Film and TV:

Character, Atmosphere and Environment

Children will create their own songs or improvise around familiar tunes, demonstrating early creativity in music.

Geography

Australia

Within this unit children will use maps of Australia to identify key settlements, such as the capital city of Canberra, and identify biomes and rivers. They will study physical aspects of Australia's geography such as the desert, the tropical rainforests, the mountains and the rivers.

History

The Transatlantic Slave Trade

Pupils will discover the Origins of the Transatlantic Slave trade as well as the Atlantic passage. They will then learn about the treatment and the eventual resistance of the enslaved Africans. Next they will learn about Thomas Clarkson and his role in the abolishment of slavery, along with how the abolishment took place.

Music (Violin)

Revising "Pizzicato swing" and using fingers 1 & 2 on the D string to play notes E & F sharp. Starting to work on a new piece "Lounging" where students learn to play note G using their 3rd finger on the D string. Revision and perfection of bow hold. Developing awareness of what others are playing in a group. Being able to read basic Western music notation.

Art

Chinese paintings and architecture

Students will use Chinese paintings and architecture looking to develop their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.

French

Students will learn: What is the weather? In my home

P.E.

Gymnastics and Rugby Tuesdays and Fridays

Computing

iCreate: This module looks into early 2D animation and its development over time. Pupils will start with basic flip books before developing different skills to produce a 2D piece of vector art.

PSHE

How can friends communicate safely? Building resilience .

Trips and Visits

Thursday 13th March—STEM Challenge Day Tuesday 25th March—The Golden Hinde