

Year 4 St Bernadette's Class

Summer Term 2021

Religious Education

Using the Come and See scheme, the children will learn about:

- New Life,
- Building Bridges,
- God's People

We will also be learning about Islam.

PSHE

Using the JIGSAW scheme, the children will learn about:

- Relationships
- Changing Me
- Journey in Love as part of RE

Understanding English, Communication and Languages

Within English we will be exploring biographies, studying narratives and looking in detail at story settings and writing stories in a similar style to our class reader – The Jungle Book.

To link with our History topic – Ancient Greece, we will be studying Greek myths and using them to write short stories and perform plays.

To link our Geography topic- Rainforests, we will be writing non-chronological reports and persuasive letters based on reducing deforestation.

A huge emphasis will be placed developing higher vocabulary and developing comprehension strategies. The non-negotiables of writing will also continue.

Mathematical Understanding

Teaching of fluency, reasoning and problem solving within the context of:

- Place Value
- Addition & Subtraction
- Multiplication and Division
- Geometry
- Fractions and Decimals

Computing

E-Safety: Keeping personal information private and knowing where to seek help.

Word Processing and using software to create modern designs with manipulative features

Science

Animals including humans:

- describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans
- identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions
- construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.

Living things and their habitats:

- recognise that living things can be grouped in a variety of ways
- explore and use classification keys to help group, identify and name a variety of living things in their local and wider environment
- recognise that environments can change and that this can sometimes pose dangers to living things.

Historical, Geographical and Social Understanding

In our topic of Ancient Greece, we will be looking at where they came in history, the Greek Gods, Ancient Greek technology and their culture.

In geography, we will be exploring the uniqueness of tropical rainforest habitats and their importance upon world ecology.

Understanding Physical Development, Health and Wellbeing

Planet Soccer – Games Skills
Gymnastics Daily Mile

Enhancement

In the first half term, as part of our PSHE development, we will have some visitors from Active Surrey who will deliver a workshop on how to be 'Well-being Warriors.'

We will also have a historical visitor from Hazelmere Museum and a visit to Wintershall.

Understanding the Arts

Design Technology:

Cooking & Nutrition linked to Greek bread and salad.

Music:

Changing and controlling pitch
Playing tuned percussion

Art: Rainforest depictions