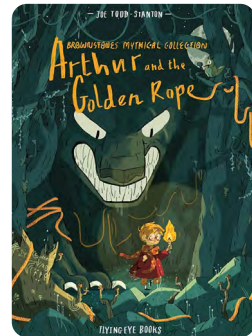


English

Arthur and the Golden Rope

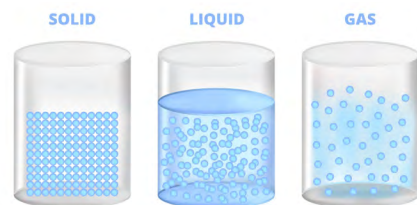
We will read and explore the mythical tale of 'Arthur and the Golden Rope' to inspire poetry, character descriptions and the writing of a mythical narrative. We will develop our writing through planning, drafting, editing, and applying figurative language.



Science

States of Matter

We will explore solids, liquids, and gases, investigating how materials change state through heating and cooling, and learn about evaporation, condensation, and the water cycle.



Music

Clarinets and Trumpets

We will learn the basic mouth and hand positions needed to play the clarinet or trumpet and we will begin reading and playing simple five-note melodies from C to G.

History

How have children's lives changed?

We will investigate childhood in Tudor and Victorian times, comparing work, leisure, and health, and exploring how lives have changed over time.



Art and Design

Drawing and Printmaking

We will explore tone, proportion, and mixed-media techniques to create collaborative prints and evaluate our artwork.



Religious Education

Judaism

We will explore stories from the Old Testament, thinking about what they teach us about role models, hospitality, and caring for the world.

PSHE

Being Me in My World

We will learn how to be positive members of our class and school community, understand rights and responsibilities, and take part in class decision-making.

Maths

Place Value

We will develop our understanding of place value up to 10,000, practise efficient methods for addition and subtraction, and apply strategies to solve problems.



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This half term
our topic is:
Courage



Enrichment

Royal Courts of Justice

We will visit the Royal Courts of Justice for a workshop related to courts in the past and Victorian children.

Support your child at home:

Listen to your child read and ask questions to check their understanding. Support with times tables and mental arithmetic using games, apps or quick fire questions.

Computing

Online Safety

We will learn how to stay safe online, respect digital rights, and understand the difference between real and virtual friendships.

Physical Education

Outdoor Activities / Basketball

We will develop teamwork, trust, and map skills through outdoor activities, and learn basketball techniques to play in competitive games.