

What will we be learning about in Autumn term in LKS2?

English:

In English, the children will use a variety of different stimulus throughout the term to engage and inspire the children's writing. The children will begin the year looking at our whole school focus Together We Learn & Grow. We will then look at Stone Age Boy and cover a range of writing such as setting descriptions, stories and poetry. Children will also focus on spelling, punctuation, and grammar.

RE:

Children will explore whether joining the Khalsa would make a person a better Sikh?

French:

Children will learn how to say basic greetings such as how are you? What's your name? and where do you live?

Geography:

How is land use in the UK? In this topic, children will take a look at the geography of the UK - from the physical features of mountains and hills to the human features in cities and towns. Children will then explore a range of maps and atlases and compare their features and become more familiar with Ordnance Survey maps and symbols, and to compare the land use in their locality with other parts of the UK.



Science:

Children will begin with our Humans topic by learning about the main food groups, the human skeleton and how it supports us and how muscles work. They will then explore the different organs of the digestive system in humans and the functions of teeth in both humans and animals.

Design Technology:

Children will use knowledge from their History lessons to help them design and create a Cave House.

Art:

Children will explore line, shape, colour and texture in natural forms. They will make and use observations of cave paintings and create pictures in the same style.

How can you help at home?

- Read with your child at least 3 times a week
- Help your child learn their times tables – TTRS
- Practise their spellings at home – Spelling Frame
- Support your child with their weekly homework - LbQ

Maths:

In Maths, children will be studying the topics: Place Value – with numbers up to 10,000; Addition & Subtraction of up to 4-digit numbers and Multiplication & Division focusing on multiples of 3, 6, 9.

Children will also focus on mental arithmetic and Times Tables.

Computing:

Children will learn about E-Safety through creating their own Online Life. They will look at the SMART rules for using the internet safely and responsibly. The children will also learn about potential online risks and how to protect themselves and friends from harm on the internet.

PE:

Indoor – Children will learn fundamental skills of flexibility, balance and strength.

Outdoor – Children will learn ball skills and attacking and defending in Hockey

Swimming – Children in Beech Tree and Elm Tree will go swimming this term.

History:

Which era is the most impressive – Stone, Bronze and Iron Age? In this topic, the children will learn about how the Stone Age to Iron Age period impacted on life in Britain. They will learn about how early man survived in a harsh environment; how homes and roles developed; why Skara Brae was important for understanding life in the Stone Age and why Stonehenge was built.