

Year 5 2022/2023

Topic web: Autumn Term

Curriculum driver: History

ENGLISH

The children will learn about Aesop and write a report about his life. They will read a number of different fables and myths, study their key features and write their own in a similar style.

They will also read 'Who Let the Gods Out' to further their understanding of fictional texts and use this to help them develop their own writing techniques. This book is also a good source of historical knowledge.

MATHS

We will be following the White Rose scheme of learning. In the autumn term, we will be learning place value, addition and subtraction, multiplication and division, and fractions. Lessons will be delivered following a mastery approach for every child. In addition, we will have a focus on times tables knowledge and fluency.

SCIENCE

The children will be taught about the Earth and space and particularly about how different astronomical bodies move in our solar system

They will also study different forces, focusing on gravity, friction, air resistance and water resistance.

An investigative approach will be used as often as possible.

ART/DT

The children will draw their own beasts in action, using various painting techniques to apply texture. They will design Greek patterns for their plaques, plates and pots and will also learn simple carving techniques when using clay to make Greek pottery. Also, they will consider how shadows can be used to create effects. Children will also make traditional Greek food.

Ancient Greeks and Mythical Beasts

Launch Activity: Ancient Greek Day

Landing Activity: Disney's Hercules

HISTORY

The children will learn about the Ancient Greek civilisation and in particular study their lifestyle, achievements and influence on the western world.

COMPUTING

The children will be taught about internet safety and how to effectively search the internet for information about Ancient Greece and mythical beasts. They will also continue to learn about coding.

M.F.L.

Children will continue to be taught French, following our iLanguages scheme of work (describing themselves, foods and animals).

MUSIC

The children will follow the East Riding 'Charanga' scheme of work for the autumn term. This will cover music notation, playing instruments, composing and singing.

PSHE

The first unit of work is 'Being Me in My World' (being different and understanding community) and the second unit is 'Celebrating Difference' (treating those who are different in a fair way).

P.E

Children will complete a course of traditional folk dancing and take part in circuit training.

GAMES

We will be teaching invasion games in the first term - doing both tag-rugby and football.

R.E.

Children will learn about different expressions in different faiths and denominations. The theme for Christmas is 'Prince of Peace'.