

English

During the Autumn term, we will be focusing on improving the composition, transcription and presentation of our writing.

We will be working on accurate grammar and spelling whilst using increasingly interesting vocabulary and sentence structures.

We will be focusing on the following text types over the course of the Autumn Term:

- *Descriptive settings
- *Performance poetry
- *Short stories (myths & legends)

RE

Our Christian Value for this term is Friendship. RE lessons will focus on Christian beliefs of Creation and Fall and will explore how people follow God and what they believe.

Computing

We will create and edit an animated scene using Scratch having story boarded and planned previously.

History

History will be the main focus in our IPC topic. We will be looking at chronology, how life was lived and how the ancient civilizations were formed.

Music

Music will be covered through our IPC topic, by telling stories through music and discovering ancient instruments.

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Homework

Homework will be sent out each Friday to be completed by the following Wednesday. There will be both a Maths and English task set. It is recommended that a minimum of 20 minutes per task is set aside. Please also bring in signed reading diaries, detailing reading practise each day. Spelling tests will be on a Friday with new spellings given as part of homework.

PE

We will have coaching sessions with Saints South West on Wednesday afternoons focusing on Net and Wall games. Swimming will continue for the first half term on a Monday. Further PE lessons will focus on team games.

Mathematics

In Mathematics we will be focusing on the areas of place value, additive reasoning, multiplicative reasoning and geometric reasoning.

We will use a variety of representations to increase our fluency in the order and place value of numbers up to and beyond 1000. We will practise mental division and multiplication facts and practise written methods of the four operations.

Please ensure children are practising telling the time and their times tables;

Year 3 - 3, 4 & 8

Year 4 - 6, 7 & 9

Science

We will be developing our investigative and evaluative skills this term whilst exploring forces & magnets, electricity, plants and habitats.

IPC-"Temples, Tombs & Trasures"

We will ask questions, research information and explore ancient living, beliefs and buildings of the Egyptians and Sumer.

MFL

We will be learning French this term; specifically greetings, numbers and colours.

Art

Art will be covered through our IPC projects and through special Art weeks.

PSHE

PSHE will be covered in school and class assemblies, with our focus being Friendship.