St. Marys C of E Primary Curriculum Web

As Readers and Writers

As writers we will be using the book 'The Day the Crayons Quit' to look at persuasive writing we will compare this other more formal persuasive letters and the devices used to create this. We will be focussing on using main and subordinate clauses, fronted adverbials and using paragraphs to organise our work.
To continue working on these grammatical skills, we will also be writing a diary entry as a Roman soldier or Boudica.

As readers we will be looking at texts that link with our science topic of electricity and our history topic, the Romans, this will include biographies, information texts and song lyrics.

As Mathematicians

As Mathematicians we will be continuing to work on our times tables from 0 – 12 and applying these now to help us multiply 2 and 3-digit numbers using the formal methods of short multiplication and division. We will develop our confidence using these methods and then begin to use them to solve worded problems.
Following this, we will also continue working on fractions looking at adding and subtracting them (including mixed numbers) and finding fractions of an amount.

Religious Education:

We will answer the question: How do festivals and worship show what matters to a Muslim?

As Artists / As Designers

We will be working on our drawing technique this term and creating mosaics linked with our Roman topic. We will explore pattern and shape.

As Language Speakers

we will be learning to name up to 10 fruits in French, attempt to spell some of the fruit names, we will ask a friend in French if they like a particular fruit and we will say which fruits we like and dislike.

As Musicians

This term we will continue to learn our pieces for the Future Musicians project using the Glockenspiels. Once we have completed our performance, we will look at how we can improvise around these songs and use the djembes and boom-whackers to add to our performance.

Year 3/4

As Sports Stars

We will be working on our invasion skills through football, we will be developing our ball control and team work. We will also be partaking in OAA and Forest School.

PSHE

As caring members of the community, we will think about 'Healthy Me'. We will learn about how exercise affects our bodies, learn about calories from fat and sugar affecting our health, we will talk about our knowledge and attitude toward drugs and identify things, people and places that I need to keep safe from, we will identify when something feels safe or unsafe and about strategies for keeping ourselves safe, lastly we will learn about how complex our bodies are and how important it is to take care of it.

As programmers (ICT)

we will think about the different ways that we communicate, we will learn how to open and respond to an email safely, we will learn how to write an email to someone using an address book and learn how to add attachments to our emails.

As Scientists

We will focus on the question 'Could we cope without electricity for one day?' In this unit we will identify appliances that use electricity, create simple series circuits and name and label the parts of this and investigate how to light a lamp allowing it to turn on and off.

As Historians

We will be exploring the Romans. We will go back in time and look at their invasion of Britain, we will discuss what the Romans brought to Britain and the impact they've had on us in the modern day. We will look at why the Romans were so successful and key Roman figures.

Article 28
Every child has the right to an education.