

Maths

Our focus this half term is place value and addition and subtraction. We will work with increasingly large numbers, up to 10,000,000. We will be able to read, write and partition numbers to ten million.

History – What can the census tell us about the local area?

As historians, we will interrogate a range of sources, focussing on the census. We will travel back in time to find out what lives were like in The Victorian era.

English

We will be writing mystery and suspense stories, this half term. As writers, we will encounter increasingly challenging vocabulary and embed new grammar skills.

Science – Mixtures and Separation

In this chemistry unit, we will learn about different techniques for separating mixtures. As scientists, we will investigate filtering, sieving and evaporating. We will develop our understanding of how to conduct scientific investigations and explain scientific processes.

Geography – What is life like in the Alps?

As geographers, we will use a range of sources to explore life in the Alps. We will develop our understanding of tourism and compare the Alps with local areas.

Whole Class Reading

Our reading text is 'Amber Undercover' by Em Norry.

PE – Gymnastics

As gymnasts, we will recap and recall what we have learnt about balance and movement in previous year groups and apply this with precision at different height and on apparatus.

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Art

As artists, we will refine our drawing techniques and learn to control mediums to achieve different shades, tones, textures and lines.

PSHE – Family and Relationships

In PSHE, we will think hard about what makes good friends and explore the theme of 'respect'.

French – Transport

As linguists, we will learn how to describe journeys.

Computing – Micro:bit

In computing, we will learn how to recognise codes and create programs using Micro:bits.

Music

We will investigate dynamics, pitch and texture by exploring Mendelssohn's Fingal's Cave.

RE – Why do people have to stand up for what they believe in?

We will learn about religious challenges and those who have stood up for their beliefs.