

Year Two 2022 - 2023

Autumn Term



Queen Victoria



Queen Elizabeth



Florence Nightingale



Mary Seacole

Our theme

Famous Females

Here are some of the things we will be learning this term!

These are Year 2 objectives which we would like to cover during the Autumn Term. However, the needs of the children will be assessed in the first few weeks and our plans will adjust accordingly based on the stage of learning the children are at.

Maths

To read and write numbers to at least 100 in numbers and words.

To compare and order numbers using the signs $<$ $>$ $=$.

To recognise the place value of each digit in a 2 digit number.

To add and subtract a two digit number and a one digit number, a two digit number and a multiple of 10, and two, two digit numbers.

To solve problems with addition and subtraction.

To order and describe the properties of 2D and 3D shapes.

We will also focus on developing a quick recall of our number bonds to 10 and 20 through our Maths Speed Challenges.

Non Core Subjects

Much of our learning centres around History and Geography this term. Through drama and other hands on investigations we will be learning about our local area (recognising key features such as Stepping Hill Hospital) and making simple sketch maps. We will make connections with significant historical figures such as LS Lowry, Queen Victoria & Florence Nightingale. We will also look at significant events, building an understanding of timelines and making direct comparisons between the past and present. Much of this learning will culminate in celebrating the end of Autumn term with a home made Victorian Christmas!

Linking in here, our Art will focus around Andy Warhol and creating a portrait of Florence Nightingale in his style. We will also focus on the drawing and painting styles of LS Lowry. Design and Technology will involve exploring vehicles - specifically focussing on wheels and axles!

In RE we will be learning about Islam and Judaism, whilst also focussing on the Hindu celebration of Diwali and the Christian celebration of Christmas.

In PSHE we will focus on keeping and staying safe and keeping and staying healthy.

In Computing we will be learning how to keep safe online and how to effectively search.

In Science we will be linking into our History work, exploring what it means to be healthy and how to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

This is just a start and a taster of what's to come (plenty more!) All of this will be underpinned by key value focusses throughout the term (specifically Caring, Respect, Creative and Resilience).

English

To use exciting words when writing. (noun, adjectives and noun phrases).

To use commas when writing a list.

To use the past and present tenses correctly when writing.

To write about real life events—our visit from the drama workshop.

To learn about the features of letters and to write our own.

To punctuate sentences with capital letters, full stops, commas, question marks and exclamation marks.

To spell a wider variety of words accurately.

Phonics: We will be using Read Write Inc Phonics and the children will be streamed into differentiated groups so they are able to access the appropriate phonic phase.

More information to follow.