

English:

The texts we are reading and discussing this term are:-

The Majestic bag (a mockumentary)
Flotsam by David Wisner

Our class reading book is:-

The Jamie Drake Equation by

Science:

Our science focus for this half term is:

Forces

We will be investigating and learning about water and air resistance and setting up experiments to explore friction. We will also be learning about the effects of gravity.

Geography:

Through our enquiry this term we will be developing the children's knowledge of:-

- UK geography including place knowledge and physical features
- Using OS maps
- Understanding our coastlines and the impact of coastal erosion

Maths:

Our daily maths focus this half term is:

Two decimal place numbers bonds

Multiplication and division facts of decimal numbers

Our enquiry question is:

'Where is the best place to take a staycation in the UK?'

Please come and join us for our enquiry outcome event on: Wednesday 7th
December at 2:30 – 3:15

Art/ DT

We will be looking at work from a range of artists including Van Gogh and Richard Long that use line and tone as part of their work.

The skills we are exploring and developing are: line and tone in drawing and sketching.

RE

The theme that we will be learning and exploring this half term is:
'Communicate' through Muslim Traditions, and Christianity

PE

Indoor: Gymnastics

Outdoor: Netball

Computing

Mrs Voke is teaching computing to both Year 5 and 6. The focus for this term is online safety and programming where the children are using 'Scratch'.

PSHE:

In PSHE sessions this half term we will be learning about and discussing Mental health and well-being.

Music:

Each week we will be listening and responding to a range of musical genres. The lessons also include composing and performing, reading music notation and understanding and using musical terms.