

ENGLISH

This half term we will be looking to describe a setting. We will develop our sentence structure by using prepositions and beginning to include our five senses and adverbs to add extra detail. Our inspiration will be the picture book 'Quest' - we will explore the many settings and describe them in different ways.

PSHE

We will be focusing on the theme, 'Staying safe' We will find out about the different ways to stay safe online, the difference between secrets and surprises, and the names of body parts.

MATHS

This half term we will be looking at 2D and 3D shapes and describing their properties. We will be learning about money—identifying the values of coins and notes to solve word problems involving money.

SCIENCE

This half term we will be looking at Materials and their uses. We will be thinking about the types of materials used to make castles and carrying out an investigation.

Adventures with Knights

GEOGRAPHY / HISTORY

This half term we will be using timelines to place famous Kings, Queens and historical events. We will then be describing life in the past and what it would have been like to live in a castle. We will also be learning about different castles and landmarks within the UK.

RE

In RE we are learning about Judaism. We will take a virtual tour of a synagogue and learn about special celebrations for Jewish people.

TRIPS/EVENTS

NSPCC Number Day—Friday, 2nd February 2024
Skipton Castle trip—Thursday, 8th February 2024
School closes for half term—Friday, 9th February 2024

ART /DESIGN

This half term we will be planning, designing and evaluating models that we have built. We will also be learning how to create sketches of different castles in the style of Paul Klee.

COMPUTING

We will be learning to create media animations and presentations as well as learning about online safety.