ENGLISH

This half term our amazing writing will be inspired by 'Who's Afraid of The Big Bad Book?' by Lauren Child. We will be using expanded noun phrases, conjunctions and prepositions to help us describe fairy tale characters, before creating our own characters and placing them within the book's narrative.

GEOGRAPHY / HISTORY

This half term we will become SBI agents and investigate the Stone, Bronze and Iron Ages in Britain. We will learn about how people lived, what their dwellings were like, what they ate, their beliefs and we will even walk the catwalk in a pre-historic fashion show!

COMPUTING / PE

We will be looking in further detail at computing systems and networks as well as emailing. Children will have chance to do more work on Scratch.

3D will start swimming. Children will also learn dance and golf.

SCIENCE / PSHE / SPANISH

We will study different types of rocks and look at how fossils are formed. We will also look soil formation, investigate soil permeability and the work of Mary Anning.

In PSHE we will look at keeping safe in different situations.

In Spanish, we will learn how to name and describe animals verbally and in writing.

Life in Early Britain

RE

We will think about and discuss things that are sacred, especially to Christians.

IMPORTANT DATES

NSPCC Number Day—Fri, 2nd February, 2024 School closes—Fri, 9th February, 2024 (NEXT TERM) Trip to Cliffe Castle—Thurs, 29th February, 2024

MATHS

We will continue to look at multiplication and becoming secure with times tables. We will also be learning how to do formal methods for multiplication and division.

We will then move on to length

ART / DT / MUSIC

We will learn about tonal shading using charcoal as a medium and then move to exploring expressive brush work in painting using acrylic paint, influenced by Van Gogh and Cézanne.

Our work on D.T. will be developing our cooking and nutrition skills. We will be making soup and soda bread.

For Music, we will create short musical patterns and use musical notation to write them down.

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