Winner of the Carnegie Medal

TOM'S MIDNIGHT

St. Francis Term 1 and 2 2018

Tom's Midnight Garden

English

Tom's Midnight Garden is our base novel and we will explore several writing outcomes including letter writing, documentary script writing, poetry, diary writing, descriptive and persuasive writing.

Maths

We will do maths investigations and study the following:

Read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10,000,000 and determine the value of each digit.

Use negative numbers in context, and calculate intervals across zero.

Use the four operations accurately.

Solve number and practical problems that involve all of the above.

Science - Light

- recognise that light appears to travel in straight lines
- use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain that objects are seen because they give out or reflect light into the eye
- explain that we see things because light travels from light sources to our eyes or from light sources to objects and then to our eyes
- use the idea that light travels in straight lines to explain why shadows have the same shape as the objects that cast them

PSHE

We will be discussing sharing our feelings and developing a class worry box. Our E-Safety curriculum will focus on the acceptable use of different forms of technology.

RE

This term we will reflect on the Kingdom of God and consider its meaning for us personally.

Topic

Our focus will be on 'Britain since 1948' and take a decade-by-decade look at the countless technological, social and political developments in Britain over this period, focusing on areas such as home life, work life, population, popular culture, music, art and technology.

PE

Pupils will understand what agility is and develop their speed, coordination and balance. We will consider the various applications of agility to other aspects of PE.

Computing

This term we will learn about the capabilities of smartphones, think of a problem that a smartphone or tablet app could solve, and then pitch the idea for the app.