

ENGLISH

Writing - Children will build on cohesion skills within their writing and will produce pieces of work in different genres.

Reading - Children will continue to read and discuss a range of fiction and non-fiction reading material.

Grammar - Children will develop their grammatical knowledge with focused sessions.

Punctuation - Children will continue to develop their accuracy, some will begin to use more advanced punctuation.

Spellings - Children will focus on a range of spelling patterns and rules which they will learn on a weekly basis.

GEOGRAPHY — Place Knowledge

Children will study geographical similarities and differences of human and physical geography within a region of Greece. They will develop learn about settlements, trade links and the distribution of natural resources.

MUSIC — Listening & Structure

Children will listen to music and recall sounds increasing their aural memory. They will also develop an understanding of musical composition and organising, whilst manipulating ideas within musical structures.

RE — The Bible

Children will be learning about Christian beliefs and how the Bible is important to the faith and those who follow it.

COMPUTING — E-Safety

Children will be briefed about safe Internet use and will explore personal and impersonal data.

PE — Basketball

Children will take part in competitive games, during which they will learn to apply basic principles suitable for attacking and defending.

ART — Van Gogh

Children will study the artist Van Gogh; they will use his work as a stimulus to create their own unique artwork. They will work with a range of mediums such as: sketching pencil, powder paint, water colour, pastels & collage. Children will then analyse and evaluate their designs and creations.

DT — Construction

Children will design and make a prototype and a working model of a rocket. Within a group, they will then critique and evaluate their ideas and finished product.

MATHEMETICS

Children will continue to study a range of methods for numerical operations addition, subtraction, multiplication and division. They will also learn about shapes and their properties including position and direction. There will also be a focus on fractions, both equivalent and mixed number, as well as decimal fractions.

SCIENCE — Earth & Space

Children will learn about the movement of the Earth, and its surrounding planets, in relation to the Sun within the solar system. They will also study the movement of the Moon around the Earth and use the idea of the Earth's rotation to explain day and night and the apparent movement of the sun across the sky.

FRENCH

Children will listen to spoken French and orally repeat phrases and sentences describing places, people and things.

HISTORY — Ancient Greece

Children will develop their chronological knowledge and understanding of world history using a range of sources. They will learn about the daily life of the ancient Greeks, study the achievements of this civilization and explore the influence of this culture upon the western world of today.

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