

English

This term, our fiction text is *How to Find Gold* by Viviane Schwarz. Throughout the unit, we will be writing character descriptions, setting descriptions, persuasive writing, letters to an author/illustrator and a narrative sequence. We will be focussing on ensuring our punctuation is accurate and that we have used a variety of conjunctions in these pieces of work.

Maths

This term, we will begin by consolidating and extending our knowledge of multiplication and division. We will use our times tables to help us solve a variety of missing box problems and word problems. We will also study statistics where we will be reading and comparing data in graphs.

RE

We will be investigating the question 'How important is it for Jewish people to do what God asks them to do?' We will look at the religion of Judaism and explore what is importance to believers of the Jewish faith.

PSHE

Through the "Jigsaw" scheme of work, we will be focusing on the unit of 'Dreams and Goals'. This focuses on exploring what goals and dreams we might have for the term and for the year.

Treasure Island

Year 2 - Term 3

Value of the Term: **Love**

Learning to Learn Skill: **Creativity**



Computing

This term, we will be focusing on online safety and will learn about how we can use devices safely.

Hooks and Experiences

Children will be going on pirate walk around Bristol and on a boat trip around the harbour as part of their school trip.

Science

In terms 3 and 4, the children will be learning all about the uses of everyday materials. Children will learn about which materials different objects are made from, and words to describe the properties of materials. During the topic, we will also be carrying out experiments where we will look at writing conclusions.

Thematic Curriculum (History, Geography, DT)

Our topic will start with a wow day, where children will create their own adventure stories, learn sea shanties and make their own treasure island. Through our topic, children will find out about the pirate Blackbeard and be able to use different sources to find out information about his life. In geography, they will use maps to identify the continents and oceans in our world as well as use simple compass directions to show where places are.

Health and Well-being (Art, Music, Sport)

In music, the children will explore pitch, tempo, timbre and texture to compose simple pieces of music that reflects the changing states of the sea.

In art, the children will explore the contrasting techniques and textures of Turner, Hokusai and Gang to develop their own treasure island seascapes.

PE days this term will be:

Surgeonfish Class Tuesday and Thursday.

Parrotfish Class Wednesday and Thursday. Children must have the correct kit in school on these days.