

English

We have started the term by learning about the features of portal stories. We will then be writing our own stories, where the main character will be transported to a far off land through a portal. We will then designing holiday adverts, trying to persuade people to visit the lands we have created,

Music

Singing will be our focus in music this term. We will learn to read music notation and use this knowledge to perform a variety of different songs.

RE

In RE, we will begin by observing the connection between Christianity and the term 'celebrity'. We will look at the qualities associated with both labels. We will then move on to look at the message of Christmas conveyed through TV adverts. We will also be creating our own, which will include a Christian message.

PE

In one PE session per week, we will focus on improving our fitness through circuits. We will also be learning the skills needed to play football and build up to playing matches.

Year 6 Transformation

DT

We have received a design brief to design a new treehouse for Terabithia. We will be evaluating existing shelters, using models to explore making stable structures and work towards making a scaled model of a treehouse for the customer. How will we transform our materials into something stable and reliable?

History

We will be focusing on a period of transformation in British history: The industrial revolution. We will look at life pre/post the industrial revolution to draw comparisons on how life changed during this time. We will also learn about how the industrial revolution led the British Empire to expand, including the colonisation of different countries. Whilst learning about the reign of Queen Victoria, we will trace the journey to the abolition of slavery.

Maths

We will begin by learning how to simplify, compare, order, multiply and divide fractions. We will then begin a geometry unit, where we will learn to plot coordinates as well as reflecting and transforming shapes in four quadrants.

Science

We will be studying the theory of evolution and inheritance, how living things have transformed over time. We will learn about the pioneers of evolutionary theory and how they developed their research.

PSHE

We will begin by learning about healthy lifestyles and the effects of drugs. We will also learn methods to transform and resolve conflicts and how we can support each other as a class.