

Mathematics

At the start of the term we will build on our knowledge of fractions, focusing on improper fractions and mixed number. We will be using our times table knowledge a lot during this unit so we will be revisiting these frequently. Following this, we will explore decimal tenths and hundredths.

RE

This term we are exploring how to understand different Easter concepts. This will be our last unit of Christianity for the year. We will explore the significance of the stations of the cross, define the concept of sacrifice and begin to explain the different symbols associated with Easter. To support us in this unit we will visit St Thomas' church for an Easter Experience.

History

This half term we are going to be focusing on the history of Ellesmere Port and exploring how it has changed since 1994. We will be studying photos and talking to people about the changes that have taken place and the impact these changes have had on the local area.

Geography

In geography we will also be focusing on our local area. We will look at the 8 points of a compass and use these terms to locate places nearby, as well as studying a range of maps and identifying OS symbols within them. We will use this knowledge to draw and label our own maps and begin to plan routes.



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PE

This half term, we will have PE on Wednesdays and Fridays. We will be exploring tennis and tag rugby in our sessions, developing our team skills.

During the Spring term the class will also have the following sessions:

Computing - We are HTML editors

DT - I know what a lever is

Music - Singing

Spanish - I can label body parts

PSHE - How data is shared and used / making decisions about money

Writing

This term's text is 'The Lost Happy Endings'. Within the unit we will be writing a twisted narrative (reimagining a classic fairy tale) followed by a persuasive letter. We will continue to build on the skills that we have already learnt including using aspirational vocabulary.

Reading

We will be focus on reading breadth - myths and legends & poetry in different forms. Within the unit we will explore stories from around the world. We will identify themes and conventions and make inferences about character's feelings. We will continue to focus on word reading and reading with fluency. This will include lots of practise of reading aloud with attention to a range of punctuation.

Science

In this unit, we will be exploring living things and their habitats. We will learn about what animals need to survive and group them into different categories.. We will recognise the difference between living and non-living things.