

English

In English, we will be starting the term by writing some Limericks. A limerick is a light hearted poem which is usually comical. It has a rhyme structure of AABBA which means we will be doing a lot of work on our rhymes.

We will continue reading our book, Stig of the Dump and we will be learning to write diary entries from the perspective of Barney, the protagonist in this story. He has some very exciting adventures with his new friend Stig, so we should have plenty to write about in our diaries.

After we finish Stig of the Dump we will begin reading the book 'Anglo-Saxon boy'.

RE/SMSC/British Values/RSE

RE's this term will have a focus on Buddhism, in particular their belief in the 8 fold path. We will be exploring all avenues of this and reflecting on how we can incorporate some of these values into our own lives.

Courage is this term's value and will be focused on within Collective Acts of Worship. Furthermore, each week one person from each class will be given a certificate for showing an aspect of courage with in their day in school.

RSE will focus on diversity and learning about being inclusive of people's differences and acknowledging everyone's unique gifts.

Maths

In this half term, we will finish our learning on decimals and place value after the decimal point.

We also plan to look at money, applying our knowledge of decimals to help us with this. So grown-ups watch your wallets and purses!

After this, we will learn about time and build our confidence telling the time in both 12 and 24 hour formats.

Anglo Saxon and Scots



Science

In Science, Miss Hewetson will be teaching the children all about the wonderful world of forces. We will be looking at how different surfaces change the speed that an object can move on it.

In addition to this we will be looking at the laws of attraction and how magnets work together to create a magnetic field.

History

In History we will be learning all about the Anglo Saxon Invaders. We will be looking at the different tribes within the Anglo-Saxons and where about they invaded from.

We will also be looking at how different Britain was in Anglo- Saxon times and how some of the places we know and love may have had different names during this period due to the division of land within tribes.

Art

In art this half term we will be looking at the work of Nick Park. We will be researching how he sketches out his famous characters, Wallace and Gromit, then incorporating this into our computing by using digital media to create stop motion animation.

Music

In Music, we will be going back in time to the 60's and looking at the music by the Beatles. Coming from her home city, Miss Scotson is very excited to be working on this. We will be learning how to read and write music on a treble clef stave and using this skill to help us compose our own verses to 'Blackbird'.

Note: All of these activities are suggested and what we hope to cover over the course of this half term.