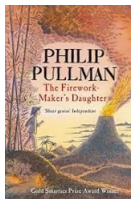


English

The key text for this half is:

The Firework Maker's Daughter by Philip Pullman.

During English lessons this half term, the children will look at a fantasy Narrative in order to create their own portal story. Within the portal story they will include the following features: dialogue, expanded noun phrases and simile and metaphors.



History

This half term, the children will learn about The Shang Dynasty. We will investigate early settlements and their location, the role of religion in their society as well as the hierarchy that existed at the time.

Art/DT

This half term, the children will focus on art. They will explore the concepts of light and dark through mixed media.

RE

This half term the children will be investigating, are all religions equal? They will do this by exploring different faiths and identifying any similarities or differences between them.



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Value Responsibility

Reminders

Oak Class have swimming lessons every Wednesday- please remember your swimming kits. Homework will be set each Wednesday- Maths will be on Mymaths and English work will be printed and stuck in their Homework book. Homework is due to be completed by the following Monday.

Music

This half term, the children will be consolidating their learning on recorders.

Science

This half term, the children will learn all about sound and how it travels. They will investigate different types of sounds.



French

In French, the children will learn to describe people.

Maths

Following the White Rose Maths scheme, the children will be learning about place value as well as addition and subtraction. We will be working hard on developing number sense and building fluency. They will also be practicing their multiplication facts in preparation for their MTC test in June.

PE

We will learn to have fluency and control in our footwork by improving our coordination. We will also work on our balance and different balance points within our bodies. The lessons will take place as follows: Ash— Tuesday and Thursday; Beech—Tuesday and Friday; Oak — Tuesday and Swimming Wednesday.

PSHE

Our unit for this term is Being me in the World. The children will learn about belonging to a school community; rights, responsibilities and democracy; rewards and consequences.

Computing

The children will be learning about computer systems and networks.