

English

This term we will be writing imaginatively using Michael Morpurgo's *Dolphin Boy* and *The Sandman and the Turtles* as inspiration. We will learn how to write descriptively, using adjectives, nouns, verbs, adverbs and prepositions. After that, we will look at the books '*The Magical Garden of Claude Monet*' and '*The Journey*' to inspire our writing, linking to our understanding of rivers and mountains.

PE

This term our PE focus will be gymnastics and different skills within circuit training. Please remember warm clothing and spare socks in case we are outside!

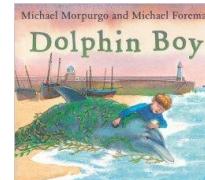
R.E

We will be exploring Christian Community and Incarnation.

Computing

This term we will continue being programmers. We have designed and created our algorithms. Now can we add special effects including sounds and present them to an audience and teach other pupils how to program.

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Topic: Geography

This half term's topic is a Geography one, in which we will learn about aspects of physical geography, explore the birth of a river and its journey right down to the sea.

We will learn about the main rivers in the UK and the mountain ranges of the World and find where they are located using maps and atlases. We will answer questions such as, 'How are mountains formed?' and, 'Why do mountains have different climates?'

Music

Glockenspiel lessons will continue on Fridays with Mrs Finlow. This is an exciting interactive lesson where every child plays their own instrument.

Maths

This term we will continue to work up to the Bronze times table award with a weekly times table focus and test up to 12x12. We will be learning all about mental and written methods for addition and subtraction. As well as learning the methods we will explore problems and reasoning questions that will provide pupils with the opportunity to apply and embed their understanding of addition and subtraction further and make links between the two operations using the inverse. We will then look at methods for multiplication and division and begin to make links between the two.

Modern Foreign Languages

Spanish lessons will continue on Fridays. The children have already learnt lots of conversational phrases so far this term.

Art / Design

We will explore the Artist Monet and use his work to recreate some of the famous watercolour scenes linked to our English writing.