

Maths:

In maths, we will be covering multiplication and division, measurement (Which covers money, time, length and capacity) and shape. Throughout all our maths, the children will be solving and investigating problems and will use their mental maths skills.

English:

This term, we will be learning to write informatively about Queen Victoria and her life. We will also be learning about the life of Victorian children and will put ourselves in their shoes to write a diary entry. We will then use this learning to help us write an adventure story, which will be set in Victorian England. As well as this, we will be learning to write poetry.

Throughout all our English lessons, we will be learning new grammar and spelling patterns.

Humanities topic:

This term, we will be studying the Victorians. We will learn about Queen Victoria, and what it meant to be a Victorian. We will focus on Victorian homes for the rich and the poor, the jobs that poor children had to do, what school was like, the games, toys and hobbies that they liked to do, and the food they ate.

We will also be having a Victorian day in school, where we will go back in time to being Victorian school children!

PE:

In PE this term, we will be continuing our learning on gymnastics and also starting dance.

Tawny Owls

Over the term, we will be basing our learning around 'Oliver Twist' (Usborne Young Reading) and the challenges and difficulties of life in the Victorian times. We will be looking at the differences between then and now, in particular how Oliver's life was quite different to ours.

PSHE:

This term, our theme will be 'Keeping Myself Healthy', where we will learn about the importance of regular exercise, a balanced diet, dental hygiene, hygiene in general.

RE:

In RE, we will learn about how and why Muslims, Hindus and Christians see life as a journey.

French:

We will be learning about animals, and fruits and vegetables. We will also be learning to further our conversations skills.

Computing:

This term, we will be learning to use computers more effectively. We are going to be using PowerPoint and Word to present our learning in a more creative way.

Science:

In science, we will be learning about Light. Within this topic, we will be:

- Recognising that we need light in order to see things and that dark is the absence of light.
- Noticing that light is reflected from surfaces.
- Recognising that light from the sun can be dangerous and that there are ways to protect our eyes.
- Recognising that shadows are formed when the light from a light source is blocked by a solid object.
- Finding patterns in the way that the size of shadows change.

Throughout our lessons, we will also be learning to work scientifically, by: sorting, observing, carrying out fair and comparative tests, recording results and writing evaluations.

Art and Design:

In Art, we will be learning about the work of William Morris. We will be researching his work and using some of his ideas (repetition and symmetry) to design our own nature inspired wallpapers.

Music:

This term in music, we will be exploring pitch and learning about different instruments and symbols. We will look at the different ways in which instruments make sounds and how symbols can be used to represent them.