

English

Children will write:

- A Character Description: The Three Witches from Macbeth.
- A Balanced Argument: who is the most evil – Lady Macbeth or Macbeth himself?

Grammar

Children will learn to use:

- Expanded noun phrases
- Rich vocabulary including emotive language
- Relative clauses
- Adverbs for possibility and time
- Figurative language including metaphors
- Subordinating conjunctions
- Fronted adverbials
- Prepositions
- Co-ordinating conjunctions
- Modal verbs
- Pronouns and possessive pronouns
- Time adverbials
- Colon and semi-colons in a list
- Formal language
- Subordinate clauses

Year 6 – Term 4

What can the census tell us about local areas? Core Subjects

Book Talk

Children will read:

- Macbeth (abridged children's version), by Marcia Williams
- Macbeth – a Shakespeare story, by Andrew Matthews

Maths

Children will learn:

- Find decimal and fraction equivalents
- Fractions as division
- Understand percentages
- Convert Fractions to percentages
- Equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages
- Order fractions, decimals and percentages
- Find a percentage of an amount
- Area and perimeter
- Area of a triangle – counting squares
- Area of a right-angled triangle
- Area of any triangle
- Area of a parallelogram
- Volume – counting cubes
- Volume of a cuboid

Spelling

Children will learn to spell:

- Words ending in '-er', '-or' and '-ar'
- Words beginning with 'acc-'
- Words with the prefixes 'dis-', 'un-', 'over-' and 'im-'

Punctuation

Children will:

- Use commas in a list, after fronted adverbials and to aid ambiguity.
- Use a colon to introduce a list.
- Include brackets and commas to show parenthesis.

Science

Living Things and Their Habitats

Children will:

- Describe how to classify a range of living animals and plants.
- Know that living organisms can be arranged into kingdoms.
- Explain how different organisms can be classified using the Linnaean system.
- Know and explain that microorganisms are both helpful and harmful.
- Describe and represent data about a member of the animal kingdom.

History

What can the census tell us about our local area?

Children will:

- Explore the purpose and creation of a census.
- Create questions about Victorian children using a range of sources.
- Explore the jobs available in the past using the census.
- Make inferences about women's lives in the 1900s using the census.
- Investigate how the census changed by following the life of Evelyn Dove.

PSHE

Healthy Me

Children will learn to:

- To take responsibility for my health and make choices that benefit my health and well-being.
- Know about different types of drugs and their uses and their effects on the body particularly the liver and heart.
- Understand that some people can be exploited and made to do things that are against the law
- Know why some people join gangs and the risks this involves
- Understand what it means to be emotionally well and can explore people's attitudes towards mental health/illness

Computing

Data and Information: Introduction to spreadsheets.

Children will:

- Create a data set in a spreadsheet.
- Build a data set in a spreadsheet.
- Use a database
- Use search tools
- Compare data visually

Year 6

Foundation Subjects

Art

Painting and mixed media: artist study

Children will:

- Understand how to analyse a painting.
- Understand how to find meaning in painting.
- Apply drama techniques to explore the meaning of a painting.
- Apply interpretation skills to analyse and respond to an abstract painting.
- Understand how art can tell stories or portray messages.

RE

Unit 40: What difference does the resurrection make to Christians?

Children will learn:

- Why do Christians believe Jesus was resurrected?
- How do many churches mark Good Friday and Easter Sunday?
- What is the change in emotions felt for many Christians from Good Friday to Easter Sunday? Why is this felt?
- When and why might a Christian have to stand up for their beliefs?
- Why do Christians have hope even when someone dies?

RSHE – My Beliefs

Children will:

- Know how feelings and emotions are affected and can be managed at changing, challenging or difficult times.

Music

Film music

PE

Basketball - Thursday
Football - Friday