

Science

Living Things and their Habitats

During this unit of work, children will learn about living things and their habitats. They will start by examining whether things are living, dead, or have never been alive. They will then examine microhabitats and larger habitats to identify some animals that may live there. Children will then investigate to see which conditions woodlice prefer in their habitat. After that, they will examine how living things adapt to their environment. Finally, they will examine food chains within habitats.

History

Kings, Queens and Castles

In this unit the children will explore where monarchs have lived in the past up to the present day. The children will look at the different kings and queens in time order, starting with King Charles III and going back in time until William I. They will also discuss and compare the different castles they lived in and the lives they led.

Music

Inventing a musical story

Music is used for many reasons and can help us to tell a story and express our feelings. Music can be loud or soft, fast or slow, smooth and connected, or short and detached. We can also use instruments with different sounds to help communicate a story and different emotions. The children will explore the music in this unit and try to connect their feelings with what they hear.

P.E

Dance

In PE the children will explore space and how their body can move to express an idea, mood, character or feeling. They expand their knowledge of travelling actions and use them in relation to a stimulus. They will build on their understanding of dynamics and expression. They will use counts of 8 consistently to keep in time with the music and a partner. Pupils will also explore pathways, levels, shapes, directions, speeds and timing. They will be given the opportunity to work independently and with others to perform and provide feedback beginning to use key terminology.

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Computing

Computers

In computing, the children will be using book creator and Clips to create a trailer adding music and titles based on the topic of Kings, Queens and Castles.

Art

Chromatic

In this painting unit, children will develop their knowledge of colour theory and create landscapes using complementary colours. They will continue to develop some skills with paint that will continue their primary school journey to becoming proficient as a painter. They will know about the work of an artist who designs prints and become more skilled at talking about their own art process.

RE

Being Human - Christianity

In this unit the children will explore what the Bible says about how Christians should treat others and live their lives. They will also look at how Christian faith and beliefs are seen in the actions of inspirational Christians.

PSHE

What jobs do people do?

Coping with Change.

The children will be exploring growth and change focusing on how much the children have grown already and helping them understand how their bodies and needs change as they get older.