Literacy

We will begin our writing by looking at the text *Pax* by Sara Pennypacker, where we will learn how to write a letter and a balanced argument. We will apply our VIPERS skills to understand and to develop our writing and to enjoy the novel.

Science

This term, we will be learning and making investigations into forces. We will learn about why unsupported objects fall to the ground, all about air and water resistance alongside friction.

Reading

Please continue to support your child to continue a love of reading.

Reading records should be filled in 5 times per week and returned to school every Friday. In our class, we have a reading fluency challenge, where you time yourself for a 1 minute and see how many words you can read. You are aiming for 90-100 words. If you read many more, try a more challenging book to read. Most importantly, enjoy your reading time.

Curriculum - R.E

Why is it important to show commitment to God for different people?

This term, our curriculum focus is Religious Education (R.E).

We will be using a range of skills to understand and discuss why different people show commitments to different Gods. We will learn about Hinduism and Christianity.



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Homework

Children will be assigned homework on a Friday, which will be due in the following Thursday. Children will be given homework books. The same expectations apply with presentation, when completing any homework projects.

Homework will entail research, quizzes and recapping previous learning alongside selfdiscovery around our curriculum topic of R.E.

Children may be given additional homework in relation to Literacy and Maths but this will be given at teacher discretion.

If you have any issues with your child returning homework or struggling with homework, please contact Mr Cadman ASAP.

Maths

This term, we will continue developing our understanding of fractions and continue to develop our understanding of multiplication and division. We will start developing our multiplication methods by using formal methods alongside dividing larger numbers.

Wider Curriculum

Jigsaw – Celebrating difference

Computing – All about Microsoft Excel

Music -Singing with Mrs Gooch

Spanish – Continue developing phonetical sounds and basic vocabulary

PE - Basketball -Indoor Athletics

Spellings -Scode Spelling.

PE is on a Tuesday— please ensure full kit is always in school and our uniform policy is adhered to for health and safety. Our school P.E kit consists of a Middlethorpe sport polo or white t-shirt and black shorts and sport trainers.