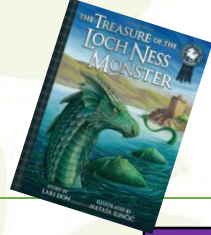


English: In English this half term, we will begin with a Non-Fiction based unit on the Loch Ness Monster. We will research and discuss 'Is Nessie real?' The children will then create their own magazine article to present their research. We will then share fiction stories about Loch Ness and write our own adventure stories.



Science: In Science we will group and classify living things. We will use classification keys to sort plants and animals, and we will learn about vertebrates and invertebrates. We will also explore our outdoor area to answer the question, What living things do we have in our local area and how does this change over the year?

Geography: In Geography this half term we will be focussing on Europe and cities across Europe. We will then do a case study of Germany and compare it to the UK, looking at population, weather and exports.

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Maths Place Value – Numbers to 10000. Comparing and ordering numbers. Rounding to the nearest 10, 100 and 1000. Finding 1, 10, 100, 1000 more and less than a number. Roman Numerals.

Addition and Subtraction – Add and subtracts 1s, 10s, 100s and 1000s. Add four-digit numbers. Crossing 10 and 100 Adding and subtracting four-digit numbers with more than one exchange. Checking strategies and estimating.

Times Tables Facts – rapid recall of 2, 5, 10 ,3 ,4 times tables.

PE: In P.E. this half term we will have 2 lessons of P.E. These days are Monday and Thursday.



Music: In music we will be using the music of ABBA from Mama Mia as our inspiration and will be learning their songs. We will listen for the key note G and will use our knowledge to adapt songs. We will also learn the purpose of a bridge in a song.



Art: Investigating the textile artworks of Alice Kettle and her use of fabrics and dye to create artworks. We are going to be learning how to combine media such as paint and thread to create Poppy Fields landscapes.



RE: This term we will be learning about Hindu Dharma and consider what a Hindu might learn celebrating Diwali. We will listen to the story of Rama and Sita and discuss good role models.



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PSHE: In PSHE We will learn about 'Being Responsible' including listening to instructions and coming home on time. We will also explore our feelings and emotions including jealousy.

Computing: This term we will continue to develop our coding skills. We will also continue to ensure we understand how to keep ourselves safe on the internet when we are using search engines for research.