English: We will share some lovely texts including The Mousehole Cat, from which we will write our own innovated stories. We will also create our own information texts about Egypt.



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Maths: This half term we will learn about...

Measure

Length and perimeter Finding missing lengths

Number – Fractions

- What is a fraction?
- Equivalent fractions
- Adding and Subtracting Fractions
- Counting in fractions

All times table facts – ready for our Multiplication Test

History and Geography - Through this topic we will investigate the men and women who studied the Egyptian kingdoms and explore their discoveries. We will learn about some of the Pharaohs and the development of the pyramids, as well as the mythology that surrounded this early civilisation. We will explore the role the Nile had in allowing this civilisation to flourish and examine daily life, comparing it to our own. We will discover how the Ancient Egyptian civilisation came to an end and also learn about the evidence of Ancient Egypt that exists in modern Egypt today



Science: Electricity

Sparks Might Fly! During this half term we will learn about electricity. We will investigate and build simple electrical circuits, investigate conductivity and light a bulb using wires and switches.

Energy

We will look at what different types of energy there are and we will consider what is best for our planet.

PE: This half term we will continue working teamwork, attacking and defending skills through learning invasion games with Miss VanRoose-Peer. We will also develop our cooperation and teamwork skills through our Outdoor P.E. work. OAA

Music: We will be thinking about how music can make someone feel a certain way? - We will learn about tempo, forte and piano, pitch and texture within music. We will create melodic patterns using: G, A, B, D and e on the Glockenspiel. Our focus artist this half term will be Beyonce.

R.E: Christianity Is sacrifice an important part of religious life?

We will learn about how Christians try to follow the example of Jesus though charity and personal sacrifice. We will learn about Lent and the children will have opportunities to reflect on their own values and on what influences their choices.

Art & Design and Design Technology:

We will then link our deign technology work to our science topic of electricity. We will look at lights and how they can be used. We will consider what materials and switches are best for a night light. We will then design and make our own night light.

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PSHE: We be looking at feelings and emotions, focusing on jealousy. We will try to understand the emotion and developing ways to manage jealousy in ourselves and how we can support others with feelings of jealousy. We will also investigate the importance of water safety especially around rivers and open water.

Computing: This term we will learn about Animation. We will find out about the 'onion skin' tool and create 'stop motion' animations of our own