MATHS

Our focus is fractions.

We will be finding equivalent fractions, adding and subtracting fractions and comparing those with similar and differing denominators.

We will also look at time, learning to tell the time to the nearest minute and use 24 hour time.

On Fridays we will have our times tables challenge.

SCIENCE

We will be studying plants, looking at the functions of different parts of a plant, reproduction in flowering plants and seed dispersal.

Collective Worship

Our value this term is 'humility'. We will hear inspiring stories and Bible teachings and then reflect on the importance of this value in our lives.

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CHINNOR

ICT

Branching databases. The children will be working on programs to sort objects, creating and using the databases, starting with simpler versions that require yes or no answers.

ENGLISH

We will learn about the features of traditional tales, focussing on fairy tales. The children will write their own version of a fairy tale, using a well-known story as a basis.

We will also study instruction writing, learning about how they are set out, and use imperative verbs and sequential connectives.

We will continue to work at the year 3 statutory spellings and Spelling Shed spelling lists.

SPANISH

This term we will be learning about fruit in Spanish.

MUSIC

Violin/cello lessons (Europe Y3) Charanga singing, instrument playing and composition (Asia Y3)

HISTORY/GEOGRAPHY

We will learn about the local history and geography of Chinnor and hear from local residents about how it has changed in recent decades.

ART

We will look at the art of Matisse and use it as an inspiration to create our own work.

RE

We will learn about how Hindus believe that God is in everything, and how this affects life.

PSHCE

We will learn about the importance of looking after the environment and how we are all responsible for how good a place Chinnor is to live in.

P.E.

Swimming

The children will practise the different strokes and develop their stamina and stroke efficiency through drills.