



St. Anne's Catholic Primary School

Year 2 Knowledge Organiser

'Prophecy and Promise'

"Loving God In All We Do."



The 'Prophecy and Promise' topic is about ...

Preparation for the arrival of Jesus. This half term the children will be learning about the history and significance of our school church St Anne's and how the way it has served our community has changed over the years. The children will then be using their artistic skills to sketch the entrance of our church in two different styles (realism and abstract). The children will then write a non-chronological report about Ormskirk, which will include our wonderful St Anne's Church. Later on in the term the children will be using their scientific knowledge about materials to build a stable which is strong, and stiff structure.

Prior learning

We can:

- recognise the distinction between past and present.
- order and sequence some familiar events and objects.
- identify some similarities and differences between ways of life at different times.
- know use 'a long time ago' and 'before' to describe passing of time
- Name tools and materials that we want to use and explain why
- Use recycled materials to mock up our designs
- Identify different technology at home and in school and recognise its purpose

Our current learning

- Recognise that their own lives are similar and / or different from the lives of people in the past.
- Develop awareness of significant historical events, people and places in their own locality
- Ask and answer simple questions about the past through observing and handling a range of sources.
- Use a range of materials to make a strong, stable and stiff structure

Vocabulary

RE-Advent, Advent wreath, Annunciation, Isaiah, John the Baptist, Magnificat, prophet, Zechariah

Art and Design- sketch, entrance, line, shape

Computing- back button, back-space, bold, copy, copyright, cut, delete, forward button, highlight, image, import, italic, keyboard, keyboard shortcut, layout, navigate,

Design Technology- materials, plan, make, evaluate, strong, stiffer, more stable, structure

History- Past/ present, Timeline, Order, Remember, Change (s), Before/ after, Significant, Famous, Event, Compare, Similar/ different

Music- actions, brass, characters, clarinet, composition, cymbals, dynamics, emotion, French horn, instrumental sounds, musicians, oboe, orchestra, orchestral, percussion, performing, sections, string, sound effect, tempo, timbre, trombone, tuba, vocals, woodwind

Science- Survival, nutrition, exercise, reproduction, growth



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As Advent begins, the children will learn about the Gospel of Luke, where the children will be introduced to John the Baptist. The children will learn about the Annunciation of John the Baptist, The Annunciation of Jesus, The Visitation then the Birth of Jesus according to Luke. The children will celebrate the start of Advent by making Advent candles which will be donated to our church.

Wider curriculum learning

During this half term, the children will be learning about the history of Ormskirk and St Anne's Church and compare the lives of the people from Ormskirk from the past till now.

In Science children will be learning about how to keep their bodies healthy and what humans need to survive.

In computing the children will be learning about 'Word Processor' and how to create a word document. This is an exciting topic where the children are able to go to the KS2 building and use the

We are going to read a range of texts from



Key dates for this half-term

Trip into Ormskirk: TBC

Twisted Tale Day: Monday 18th November

Term dates—Monday, 28th October—Friday, 20th December

PE Days— Wednesday (Tennis) & Thursday

Homework—Set via Class Charts every Friday

Parents' Evening—Monday, 25th and Thursday, 28th November 3.40- 6:30pm

Whole School Mass— Mass for Advent—Monday, 2nd December 9.30am in St Anne's Church

Halloween Disco—Thursday, 31st October

Breakfast with Santa - Tuesday 17th December KS1 and Wednesday 18th December KS2

School Photographs—Tuesday 29th October