



St. Anne's Catholic Primary School

Year 5 Knowledge Organiser

'Our World'

"Loving God In All We Do."



The 'Our World' topic is about ...

The children will be studying the Early Islamic Civilization, Baghdad AD 900, and making comparisons with the City that we know today. They will be researching religion, lifestyle, food, education, scholars and philosophers, and how this Ancient City became a world renowned leader in medicine and education. This information will be gathered and studied to enable the children to write a detailed non-chronological report. Their reports will highlight how Baghdad has changed over the years, and offer opportunities for the children to make these comparisons in their writing.

Prior Learning...

A few children are aware of what modern day Baghdad is, however the majority have never heard of it.

Our current learning...

- how to research and collect facts on a historical city and produce a written and detailed report, comparing it to modern day life.
- name and locate Baghdad and the surrounding area on a world map.
- describe places and features using developing geographical vocabulary.
- make observations about natural and man-made features that give places their character.
- recognise that their own lives are similar and / or different from the lives of people in the past.

Vocabulary

RE

vocation, marriage, service, responsibility, fidelity commitment

Science

properties, materials, thermal & electrical conductors & insulators, melting, dissolving & solubility.

Music

sound, non-standard symbols, musical, composition, tempo, pitch, listening.

Computing

concept maps, data, technology, software, Internet, input, output

Art and Design

observing, sketching, editing, scale drawing, pattern, colour scales.

History

Ancient, diverse, past, present, origin, scholars, philosophers.

Geography

Import, export, fair trade, farmers, tax, climate, transport, locally produced food, irrigation.

MFL

vocabulary related to:
continents, countries, holidays, months of the years, dates, birth-days, age.



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RE

This half term, in **RE** we will continue to cover the topic of 'Life Choices', which covers marriage, commitment and service. The Other Faiths topic is 'Judaism'. The topic of 'Hope', which covers Advent and waiting in joyful hope for Jesus, the promised one, leads into our Christmas Celebrations.

Wider curriculum learning

The focus for **Science** is 'Materials'. They will be learning about the properties and changes of materials. This will include exploring thermal and electrical conductors and insulators. We will also be experimenting with how various materials dissolve and we will use different processes to separate mixtures. Irreversible, chemical changes will also be researched.

Our **Geography** learning will be centred around Fair Trade and how we can help farmers overseas to get a fair deal for their produce.

In **PSHE** this half term will continue our theme of Health and Wellbeing: growing and changing, and keeping safe.

In **PE** we will be doing dance and athletics.

In **MFL** we are excited to be learning how to read French and use the correct intonation/expression.

In **Music** we will be studying Blues music and the conveying of emotion in composition.

We are going to read a range of texts from

'The Boy At the Back of the Class.' by Onjali Rauf.

'Daily Life in the Islamic Golden Age' by Don Nardo.



Key dates for this half-term

Term dates: Monday, 30th October—Thursday 21st December

Halloween Disco—Tuesday, 31st October in school time

PE Days will be Tuesday and Wednesday (warm layers to be worn) .

Homework will be set on Century, TTRockstars and on hard copies of spellings also found on Class Charts.

Meet the Teacher— Monday, 27th and Thursday, 30th November 3.45 - 6pm

Advent Mass— Monday, 11th December 9.30am in St Anne's Church

Carol Concert (lead by Year 5)- Wednesday 13th December at 6pm at St Anne's Church.