

As readers we will...

- ✓...through reading our whole class text and accompanying extracts, deepen our comprehension skills, providing answers to a wide-range of big questions
- ✓...continue to develop our fluency through 'Fresh Start' and whole-class practise.
- ✓...continue to develop our understanding of reading genres, noting our own preferences.

We will be reading...

- ✓ Wonder by RJ Palacio
- ✓ Books by our significant authors (Robert Swindells and Katherine Rundell)
- ✓ A range of extracts from fiction, non-fiction and poetry within our guided reading sessions.

VOCABULARY: infer, explain, quote, evidence, agree, disagree, scan, justify, emotion, vocabulary, sympathy, ordinary, non-fiction, fiction

As writers, we will...

- ✓... learn the difference between vocabulary typical of informal speech and vocabulary appropriate for formal speech and writing [for example, find out - discover; ask for - request; go in - enter]
 - ✓... use cohesion within and across paragraphs and formal language for the presentation of information.
 - ✓...use layout devices [for example, headings, sub-headings, columns, bullets, or tables, to structure text]
 - ✓...use semi-colons to link two independent clauses which are closely related.
 - ✓... learn about the punctuation of bullet points to list information.
 - ✓...study how words are related by meaning as synonyms and antonyms [for example, big, large, little].
 - ✓...Use of the dash to mark the boundary between independent clauses [for example: the second baseman leaped for the ball—or, rather, limped for it.
- VOCABULARY:** formal, informal, colon, semi-colon, dash, parenthesis, subordinate, complex sentence, adverbial, model text, description, atmosphere, characterisation, speech, noun phrase, figurative language

As mathematicians we will...

- ✓...be able to read, write, order and compare numbers up to 10,000,000.
 - ✓...be able to round numbers to any degree of accuracy.
 - ✓...be able to calculate with negative numbers within contexts.
 - ✓...be able to use column addition and subtraction.
 - ✓...be able to use the formal methods of short and long multiplication.
 - ✓...be able to use the formal methods of short and long division.
 - ✓...be able to recall common factors, common multiples, prime numbers and square and cube numbers.
 - ✓...develop our mental calculation strategies, understanding the order of operations.
 - ✓...be able to simplify, compare and order, add, subtract, multiply and divide fractions.
- VOCABULARY:** million, integer, positive, negative, above/below zero, minus, negative numbers, formula, factor, multiple, represent, consecutive, divisibility, square number, prime number, factorise, prime factor, ascending/descending order, digit total

As scientists we will...

Danger! Low Voltage

- ✓...associate the brightness of a lamp or the volume of a buzzer with the number and voltage of cells used in the circuit
- ✓...compare and give reasons for variation in how components function, including the brightness of bulbs, the loudness of buzzers and the on/off position of switches
- ✓...use recognised symbols when representing a simple circuit in a diagram

VOCABULARY: voltage, brightness, volume, switches, danger, series circuit, safety, sign, circuit diagram, switch, bulb, buzzer, motor, symbols

Body Health

- ✓build on our learning from Year 3 about the types of food that humans need to stay alive.
- ✓...explore the effects of exercise on the body as well as how drugs can help us as well as cause harm.

VOCABULARY: alcohol, asthma, athlete, balanced diet, beats per minute (bpm), caffeine, calories, carbohydrates, cigarettes, consequences, dairy, diet, drugs, Eatwell plate, energy, exercise, fats, fibre, illegal, impact, legal, lifestyle, long-term effect, medicine, mineral, nutrition, oxygen, protein, RDA (recommended daily allowance), recovery rate, resting rate, tobacco, vitamin

In PSHE we will...

- ✓...through our JIGSAW unit 'Being Me in My World', consider our rights and how our actions have consequences.
- VOCABULARY:** rights, community, Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs, empathise, consequences, obstacles, choices, legal/illegal/lawful, perception
- ✓...through our JIGSAW unit 'Celebrating Differences', understand how difference can be both a cause for celebration and conflict.
- VOCABULARY:** disability, empathy, impairment, Paralympian, transgender, diversity, fairness, equality, imbalance, harassment, direct/indirect bullying, accolade, perseverance, admiration

As historians we will...

- ✓...consider the concepts of 'conflict and disaster', 'hierarchy and power' and 'community and culture', through the context of World War 2.
 - ✓consider the significance of the Blitz on our Hull.
- VOCABULARY:** invade, cause, Allies, Axis Power, Treaty of Versailles, Nazi Party, Winston Churchill, Adolf Hitler, source, evidence, morale, Home Front, evacuation, significance

In RE we will...

- ✓...explore concepts of justice and freedom
 - ✓...consider how we can show forgiveness and compare to how people of faith demonstrate this.
- VOCABULARY:** community, restorative, injustice, freedom of action, faith stories, faith in action, harmony, forgiveness, moral, ethical, reconciliation

As artists we will...

- ✓...research the blind contour drawings of Allison Kunnath.
 - ✓...articulate our own opinions on Allison Kunath's work, giving reasons for our likes and dislikes.
 - ✓... recreate forms from Allison Kunath's Blind Contour Drawings without taking my pen off the page, influenced by Allison Kunath's drawing process.
 - ✓... critically evaluate my own and other's work in response to Allison Kunath's Blind Contour Drawings.
- VOCABULARY:** Draw, line drawing, portrait, self-portrait, contours, continuous, expression, movement, posture, position, composition, direction

In computing we will...

- ✓... demonstrate a clear understanding of how search engines work, how web pages can optimise the number of visits and to understand how to communicate safely online.
 - ✓... design and create a web page using software, ensuring that the web page observes copyright laws, has effective links and includes strong navigation paths.
- VOCABULARY:** search engine, refine, index, selection, ranking, crawler, links, HTML, web browser, hyperlink, copyright

In D&T we will...

- ✓... appraise and analyse a range of toys and identify if the form follows its function.
 - ✓... create a range of electrical circuits and identify their components
 - ✓... practice using a range of tools and techniques to create a part of a product.
 - ✓... generate ideas and design a product that meets the design brief.
 - ✓...evaluate their own ideas and product against their own design and consider the views of others to improve their work.
- VOCABULARY:** automata, cam, follower, clamp, component, dowel, drill bits, exploded diagram, axle, bench hook, hand drill, mark out, set square, tenon saw, jelutong accurate, assembly-diagram, cutting list, finish, frame, function, hand, linkage, measure, mechanism, model, research, right-angle, set square

As musicians we will...

- ✓...find and keep a steady beat.
 - ✓...listen and copy rhythmic patterns made of dotted minims, minims, dotted crotchets, crotchets, dotted quavers, triplet quavers, quavers, semiquavers and their rests by ear or from notation.
 - ✓...experiment with a wider range of dynamics through improvisation and composition work.
- VOCABULARY:** melody, compose, improvise, pulse, rhythm, pitch, temp, dynamics, timbre, texture, structure, dimensions of music

In PE we will...

Invasion Games (Rugby and Hockey)

- ✓... play competitive games to agreed rules.
 - ✓... explain rules to others.
 - ✓... communicate a plan to a team.
 - ✓... use a number of techniques to dribble, pass and score with control and accuracy.
 - ✓... apply basic principles suitable for attacking and defending
 - ✓... confidently referee a game applying their knowledge of the rules effectively.
 - ✓... give tactical instructions to affect a game situation.
 - ✓... lead an effective warm up for a group.
- VOCABULARY:** outfit, opposition, contact, opponent, field, court, pivot, pitch, tactics, control, offside, foul, support, pressure, onside, obstruction, consecutive, formation, consistently, conceding, dictate, turnover, contest