Music

Music is taught by Mr. Stanton. This term, children will learn how to develop further understanding of dynamics, pitch, and composition, whilst improving their singing.

French

Mr Kille will teach French to the class each week. The focus areas of learning this term will be describing the area you live in, rooms in the house, your bedroom, and chores.

Art/DT

During the first half term, we'll develop observation skills, focusing on reflection, colour and mountain ranges.

After half term, we will focus on screen printing and sewing to develop an understanding of pop art and traditional Native American crafts.

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St. Philip Neri with St. Bede: Summer Term 2022



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Near Parents/Carers

Welcome back to our final term of Year 4,

I hope that you all had a wonderful Easter break and enjoyed spending the time with your children.

As always, if you have any concerns about your child, please feel free to contact us or catch us at the end of the day. We're always happy to help you. The best way to do this is through Class Dojo.

In this Curriculum Matters booklet, you'll find a summary of the main areas of study this term, which I hope you will find useful. If you, or a family member or friend could help in anyway with our learning, do not hesitate to contact us.

<u>Homework</u>

Homework will be given out on a Friday and is to be returned to school on the following Wednesday. Homework will consist of a Maths and English piece, Guided Reading as well as a weekly Spelling List and timetables practise. Please continue to hear your child read, if possible for 15 minutes a day. Thank you in advance for supporting your child with their homework.



RE

This term, our Come & See topics are:

- New Life. Where we journey through the different ways people experience New Life.
- Building Bridges. Where we explore friendships, relationships, and reconciliation.
- God's People. Where we explore CAFOD and other charitable endeavours and how these are lived out.

Maths

The following aspects of mathematics will be covered this term: fractions, decimals, money, time, and properties of shape.

Within each unit, children will develop their Fluency, Reasoning and then Problem-Solving skills as we endeavor to deepen children's mathematical understanding.

English

The main areas to be covered in English are as follows: explanation texts, newspaper reports and poetry. Please note that Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar are taught throughout each unit of work.

<u>Science</u>

In Science, children will learn about the Sound. After Half Term, they will explore Electricity.

Topic

This half term, in our topic Misty Mountain, Winding River we are looking at the characteristics and features of rivers and mountain ranges around the world, including a detailed exploration of the ecosystems and processes that shape them and the land around them.

After Half Term, our topic Road trip USA. The children will learn about the United States, past and present, developing children's knowledge of Native American culture, map reading, and the physical and human features of key locations in the United States.

Computing

This term, children will learn about programming objects along a path using specific instructions, they will also learn how to compose and create music digitally and how to write for specific audiences.

<u>PE</u>

PE will continue to be on a Wednesday and Thursday so your child will need their PE kit on these days. However, I would strongly advise that your child's PE kit is in school all week in case of any timetabling changes.