



Welcome back to school. I hope you all had a lovely Easter and didn't eat too many chocolate eggs!

History

Our topic this term is **Ancient Greece**. In this history topic, children will learn about the influence they had on the western world, encompassing areas such as philosophy, democracy, literature and architecture. They will use and evaluate a range of sources to gain knowledge about the past and compare the early civilisations we have learnt about this year.



Science

Our Science this term will focus on Animals including Humans and Sound. Children will develop their scientific enquiry skills as well as building upon their scientific knowledge and understanding. Science will be taught on Tuesday afternoon.



Art

Art lessons will focus on 'Brave Colour' where they will learn all about developing their techniques, including their control and their use of materials, with creativity, experimentation and an increasing awareness of different kinds of art, craft and design.

Geography



Our topic this term is **a Local Area study**, involving geographical and fieldwork skills to compare physical and human features across Yorkshire. The children will



English

We begin the half term reading the **Who Let the God's Out – Maz Evans**. We will also be looking at **The Princess Blanket – Carol Ann Duffy** and **Falling out of the Sky** for our poetry unit later this term. Children will be writing their own modern fairy tale, a formal letter, ballad writing and a 3rd person narrative.



P.E

Our P.E days for KS2 are **Monday and Wednesday**. They will need an outdoor kit to wear on Monday whilst doing **athletics** and an indoor kit for Wednesday whilst learning **dance** for our end of year production.

PSHCE

Children will learn about **Health and Wellbeing** and will be continuing **online safety** alongside this. The children will later be looking at **Transition** for secondary school and **RSE** (Relationships and Sex Education). This will be after the holidays and further information about these sessions will be released to parents in the upcoming weeks.



R.E

Within R.E children will explore the enquiry question: **What would Jesus do?** We will be looking at the features of Gospel texts, taking account the context, suggest meaning and compare their ideas. We will make clear connections between different Gospel texts and relate biblical ideas, teaching and beliefs to their own lives.

Music



In music, children will learn how to play the **clarinet**. They will look at reading music and will learn how to play a variety of songs.

Maths



In maths the Y5 children are continuing their learning about **fractions, decimals and percentages** and later, we will learn about **perimeter, area and statistics**. Y6 children have begun revising for their SATs WB: 13.05. 24 they are also learning about the same units alongside this revision.

Computing



We are focusing on being **AI (Artificial Intelligence) developers**. In this unit, pupils use a variety of websites to learn about different aspects of artificial intelligence, including machine learning. Finally, they program a self-driving car and consider the ethics of AI.

French



In Modern Foreign Languages, our topic is **Tour de France** and **Destinations**. They will be writing what they hear, use language in context, match sentences with paragraphs and recognise patterns in French and use spoken language confidently.