

KS1 Curriculum News

Summer 2024 - Explorers and Africa

English

Explorers

We will develop our reading and writing skills using a range of biographical books about astronauts and oceanographers.



Matilda

We will explore the story and characters of 'Matilda', a book by the famous author Roald Dahl.



Computing

Coding

We shall learn how to manipulate a digital scene through coding.



History and

Geography

Our School

We will learn



about our school, its location within England and begin to develop map reading skills.

Science

Living things and their habitats

We will explore what makes an object alive, dead or never alive, what a habitat is and why different animals are better suited to living in different habitats.



Explorers

We shall learn about some famous explorers, the history of space exploration and life in the planet's oceans.



Africa

We will learn all about Africa, including Africa's 'Big 5' and the different environments found there.



Art and Design

Planetscapes

We will be using a range of mediums to create imaginative science fiction planetscapes.



African Dot Painting

We will paint a range of African animals in the style of traditional African dot painting.

PE

Orienteering

We will be learning how to direct ourselves and others and how to manoeuvre around obstacles.

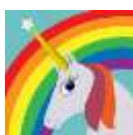
Athletics

We shall continue developing movement skills and techniques through a range of running, jumping and throwing sports.



Music

Your Imagination - We will be exploring songs with themes of imagination and develop our musical vocabulary when appraising and creating music.



PHSE

Aiming High

We will discuss positive views about ourselves and share future aspirations.



Diverse Britain

We will think about the communities we belong to and the importance of celebrating and being respectful of our differences.

RE

Why should we care for the earth?

We will explore how nature can be important across religions and how the messages in religious stories about nature can help us in our everyday lives.



What do we learn from sacred books and stories?

We will explore stories from different religious texts and consider what these stories mean to believers and how the stories and messages in these books help people know how to live their lives.

