

Design and Technology/ Art

Art - Children will look at patterns created in Aboriginal art and use these to inspire their own designs for a paper mache mask.

They will build layers of paper mache upon a plastic milk bottle or cereal box. When is it dry, they can decide on whether to transfer their chosen design in pen or felt-tip pen.

DT - Children will plan, design and create a moving vehicle that has a propeller using electrical equipment.

Computing

Children will explore changing variables in games.

PE

Hockey-Children will be focusing on invasion games, where they will have to use skills, tactics as well as tackling and defending to be successful.

Dance- Bhangra inspired.

History/Geography

Children will identify continents using maps to focus on Europe (including the location of Russia) and North and South America. They will concentrate on their environmental regions, key physical and human characteristics, countries, and major cities. They will also look at climatic zones of the world, focussing specifically on the rainforest and the layers.

Year 6 Spring Term



Come Fly with Me

RE

In Religion and World Views, children will study a unit on People of Faith, Courage and Commitment. Within this, they will learn how faith can help people in adverse situations.

Also during the spring term, children will experience a visit to a church, a mosque and a gurdwara, while on our Faith Tour to Bedford.

French

Children will be learning French phrases and sentences about 'the world around them to include the seasons and musical instruments.

PSHE - Healthy and Safer Lifestyles

Children will learn about mass media influences on their lives as well as how to manage illness.

English

To commence the term, children will be introduced to the text *Tales from the Caribbean*. This will be used as a stimulus for non-chronological report writing as well as a short story.

Later on in the term, Year 6 will move onto a text called *Shackleton's Journey*. Children will work on a range of texts to include formal and informal letters as well as an advertisement.

Maths

In Maths, children will work on the following units:

Decimals, percentages, algebra, converting Units, measurement: Area, Perimeter and Volume and finally Ratio.

Science

'Electricity' in the first part of spring followed by 'Living Things and Their Habitats'.