

English

This term our writing will be based around the book *The Highwayman* by Alfred Noyes. Children will develop a range of writing styles across this term using the grammar we have covered.

Maths

We will begin this year by looking at the place value of numbers up to 10 million. Children will then move onto developing accuracy and confidence using written methods for addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

PE

Our PE days are Tuesday and Wednesday. Tuesday will be swimming so please ensure children come with the correct kit. On Wednesdays we will be receiving cricket coaching. Children need to be prepared to play outside wearing full PE kit.

How has crime and punishment changed throughout history?

PPA time

I will be out of class on Wednesday afternoons. Children will spend these afternoons alternating between forest and music and Spanish. This term we will be learning how to play the steel pan drums.

PSHE

This unit is entitled 'being my best'. Children will explore different topics including identifying risks in a given situation and to be able to understand and explain the outcomes of the risk-taking in a given situation, as well as emotional risks.

Science

Our unit this term is entitled Evolution and Inheritance. Children will learn about inheritance and begin to look at Charles Darwin's theory of evolution.

Computing

We will begin this term with an e-safety lesson that highlights gender stereotyping and the importance to challenge and reject damaging stereotypes. The rest of the term will be spent evaluating and creating our own websites.

Art

This term we will be developing our sketching skills using a range of different tools. By the end of the unit, children will have produced an image linked to *The Highwayman* in the style of Charles Keeping.

History

Throughout this term, children will explore how crime and punishment has changed throughout history. They will begin by looking at how the Romans dealt with crime, before moving to the Anglo Saxons, the Tudors, the Victorians as well as modern day.