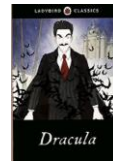


Maths

This term's maths units are: Place Value recognising, representing and reading 7- digit numbers; Addition & Subtraction; Multiplication & Division and Geometry- Position and direction. All children have access to Times Tables Rockstars to help them practise their times tables at home. Having quick and accurate recall of their times tables will aid children in many areas of maths across Year 6 and beyond.



English



In our writing lessons, we will begin the year by focusing on grammar and punctuation. By doing this, strong foundations for children's writing are set. They will then apply their learning, writing a non-chronological report about Famous Outlaws. Later on in the term, they will write a letter and a setting description both linked to our reading book 'Dracula'. In reading lessons, children will encounter a variety of fiction and non-fiction texts and develop responses to a range of question types.

Science

Our first science unit this term is Living things and their habitats. During this unit of work, children will learn about the classification of living things, including microorganisms. They will explore different ways to sort animals, deciding upon the criteria based on observations. They will then learn the names and characteristics of the main groups used to classify animals, plants and microorganisms. Children will learn that there is a subtle difference between identification and classification.



PE

At the beginning of Autumn term, children in Year 6 will be learning about fitness and gymnastic sequences.



French

In French lessons, children will learn how to talk about ourselves in French. They will also learn to pronounce words accurately and learn the genders of words in French.

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Music

This unit supports pupils as they explore how classical music can depict natural scenes, focusing on Felix Mendelssohn's Fingal's Cave. Pupils examine how composers use the interrelated dimensions of music—structure, texture, dynamics, timbre, pitch, tempo, and duration—to represent the movement and atmosphere of the sea.



Design Technology

Children will develop construction, mechanical and electrical skills to create Gothic-inspired models. They will research Gothic architecture.



Art

In this final drawing unit, children will build on the knowledge and skills they have studied through KS2 and KS1. Children will learn specific skills and techniques to confidently use line, shape and value to create their own artwork.

Computing

This term, we will be learning how to understand online safety, including safety on social media.



History

In this unit, children will build on their knowledge of periods in history that they have studied punishment has changed over time in Britain. They will understand what was seen as a crime, and how the crimes were impacted by social status. Children will learn about what happened when someone was accused of a crime and explore the different ways people were tired and given punishments.



RE

In this unit, pupils will learn about what Christians and how to live. Our key question is: What would Jesus do?



PSHE

In this unit, children will learn about their brain and how it helps them think, feel and learn.

