CURRICULUM INFORMATION: JUNIOR 2

LENT TERM 2024



Mathematics	English	Science
Topic/s: Multiplication, Division, Money, Mass, Capacity and Temperature, Length and Height. Aim/s: To understand the concept of division and to be able to divide by grouping and sharing, making the link with multiplication (x2, x5 and x10). To use arrays. To count, select and compare money, using £ and pence. To measure in centimetres and metres and order and compare length. To explore millilitres and litres. To explore the Celsius gauge and begin to understand negative numbers. To be able to solve one-step problems. To begin to explore two-step problems. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Calculation; problem solving and investigation. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Burley - Miss Rogers	Topic/s: China and The Great Fire of London Aim/s: To write narratives about personal experiences, writing about real events, poetry, writing for different purposes. To understand cause and effect in narrative and non-fiction e.g. what prompted a character's behaviour or why certain dates are commemorated. To use full stops, capital letters, exclamation marks, question marks, commas for lists, apostrophes for contractions and possession. To write sentences with different forms: statement, questions, exclamation, command. To use expanded nouns, the correct tenses, subordination e.g when, if, that, because and coordination eg or, and, but. To complete comprehension tasks that require a deeper analysis of a range of texts. To apply their phonetic learning to reading and writing-continuation of Phase 6 phonics and weekly spelling tests. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Writing a range of text types; developing vocabulary; understanding of texts and accurate use of punctuation. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Burley - Miss Rogers	Topic/s: Little MasterChef and Healthy Me Aim/s: • To find out about the basic needs of animals, including humans. • To learn about the importance of exercise, healthy eating and hygiene. • To understand the different food groups. • To sort shopping into different food groups. • To design and cook a range of healthy food. • To know what makes me happy. • To know how we can keep fit and healthy. • To take part in a keeping fit challenge. • To understand how to swap snacks for healthy alternatives. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Identify, classify, gather and report data to help answer questions. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Burley - Miss Rogers
History	Geography	RE
Topic/s: The Great Fire of London Aim/s: • To know how the Great Fire of London began and why it spread so quickly. • To explore Samuel Pepys' role in documenting these events. • To know how London was rebuilt after the Great Fire of London. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Research; ICT skills; finding out about the past; social history; role play; drama; evidence-based thinking. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Burley - Miss Rogers	Topic/s: China Aim/s: To locate China on a world map. To understand what life is like in China and compare it with life in the UK. To similarities between Beijing and London. To compare Crackley Hall with school life in Beijing. To learn about Chinese culture. Chinese New Year- Year of the Tiger. To learn about the Great Wall of China and take part in the Great Wall of China Challenge. Use webcams to look at a range of landmarks. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Using world maps, atlases and globes; devising simple maps in the context of China and comparing what life is like in different countries. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Burley - Miss Rogers	Topic/s: Parables and Miracles, Special Celebrations, One World Week, Lent and Holy Week. Aim/s: To explore passages in the Bible which show God's love for us. To know some of the words and actions of Jesus in his miracles. To become familiar with the way the church celebrates major seasons of the liturgical year. To learn about symbols of Baptism. To know that Lent is a period of 40 days when Christians prepare to celebrate Easter. To be able to recall and retell some of the Bible stories which explain how we should be ready to forgive. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Group discussion; research and prediction; recording information; interpreting symbols and ideas; writing prayers; role-play. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Hill - Mrs Forino

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Music	PE & Games	Art
Topic/s: Recorder, The Great Fire of London, Pentatonic Music. Aim/s: To be able to play a wide range of pieces from the Vamoosh Book 1. To increase the range of notes known. To improve the quality of sound on the recorder. To learn songs and create compositions that are connected to the Great Fire of London. To create their own pentatonic compositions. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Performance; listening; composing; appraising; music notation. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Olden	Topic/s: Gymnastics, ABC (Agility, Balance, Control); Ball Skills (Football, Netball) Aim/s: To master basic movements including running, jumping, throwing and catching. To develop balance, agility and coordination, and begin to apply these to a range of activities. To participate in team games, developing simple tactics for attacking and defending. To perform linked gymnastic routines using simple movement patterns. To understand the concept of fair play, winning and losing. To develop core strength and balance during stationary holds, slow and fast movements. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Stamina; speed; coordination; power; throwing with accuracy; catching; hand-eye coordination; understanding of rules of games; teamwork.	Topic/s: China. Cherry blossom pictures, Chinese landscapes, Chinese New Year, Year of the Tiger and Willow pattern plates. Aim/s: To use a range of materials creatively. To use painting to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination. To develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space To learn about the work of a range of artists, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, making links to their own work. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Drawing; painting; observation; appreciation of artists' work. Subject teacher/s: Ms Holmes - Miss Rogers
Design & Technology	Subject teacher/s: Mr Vaughan Computing	PSHE
Topic/s: Great Fire of London Aim/s: To generate and develop templates and mock ups. To explore winding mechanisms. To investigate individual components. To test different materials. To create their own moving Great Fire of London scene. To use a range of materials creatively. To use painting to develop and share their ideas, experiences and imagination. To develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space. To learn about the work of a range of artists, describing the differences and similarities between different practices and disciplines, and making links to their own work. To cook, linking with Science. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Researching; designing; making; cutting; sewing; measuring; evaluating.	Topic/s: Programming and Using the Internet Aim/s: To know how to create an effective algorithm. To debug algorithms. To program a character within a game. To know how to use a search engine effectively and safely. To understand how to select appropriate websites and content. To research a topic using the Internet. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Problem solving; logical reasoning; computer science. Subject teacher/s: Miss Rogers	Topic/s: Rules, Democracy, Children's Mental Health, Voting and Pollution. RSHE programme of study (Ten Ten) Aim/s: To discuss strategies for forming positive relationships with peers and conflict resolution. To explore the ways in which we can reduce the carbon footprint of the school. To understand what a democracy is and why voting in a range of environments is important. Children's Mental Health Week. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Self-reflection; discussion; empathy; listening; understanding. Subject teacher/s: Mrs Burley - Miss Rogers
French	Mandarin	Drama
 Topic/s: Days of the Week, Sport, Numbers 1 -25 Aim/s: To recognise the days of the week. To name a favourite sport and learn about various French sporting events in 2024. To link sport and days of the week by interpreting a simple timetable. To learn the numbers 1-25 	Topic/s: Chinese New Year, Myself, food and drink. Aim/s: To learn about Chinese New Year. To ask age and respond. To greet each other, ask name and age and respond. To say a few food and drink items. Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of: Listening, speaking, participation, confidence.	Topic/s: KS1 Performing Arts and LAMDA preparation. Aim/s: To practise confident performance and communication. To work creatively as a group. To learn how to be a good audience member. To learn how to communicate the meaning of poems to others. To learn poems from memory. To describe the meaning of vocabulary and mood of poems.

Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of:	Subject teacher/s: Mrs Huang	Skills: Through their learning pupils will develop the skills of:
listening, speaking, understanding and appreciating different cultures.		Building confidence; listening; clear diction; performance; conversing and
		speaking aloud.
Subject teacher/s: Mme Westerman		
		Subject teacher/s: Mrs Paphitis

Home School links	Homework	
 Read a range of different texts with your child. Learn a new sport. Practise your times tables. Download and use a range of programming apps, such as Scratch Jr, Daisy the Dinosaur or Pyonkee. Explore winter pictures in Art. Design and cook a healthy meal. Visit a China Town. Cook Chinese food. 	 Daily reading Times table practice Maths Passport practice Spelling practice Friday- Mathletics 	