

Autumn 1 Overview:

Class Daily Read: Tom's Midnight Garden



Big Events: Tower of London Trip



English



In English, pupils will use *Holes* to write character descriptions, exploring appearance, personality and feelings. They will develop paragraphing, fronted adverbials and speech punctuation before writing an informative non-chronological report.

Maths



In Maths, pupils will develop their understanding of place value and the number system. They will read, write, compare and order numbers and build upon their previous knowledge of Roman numerals.

History



In History, pupils will explore how crime and punishment changed from the Anglo-Saxon period to modern times. They will examine different laws, trials and punishments and compare past justice systems with those used today.

Science



In Science, pupils will explore different forces, including gravity, friction, air resistance and water resistance. They will investigate how forces affect movement and learn how mechanisms such as levers, pulleys and gears work.

Geography



This subject will be taught next term.

PHSE

In PSHE, pupils will explore their place within the school and wider community. They will consider their rights and responsibilities, recognise how their choices affect others and develop empathy for the feelings of those around them.

DT



In DT, pupils will explore electrical circuits and learn how motors work. They will design, make and evaluate their own motorised doodler, applying their technical knowledge to create a functional product.

RE



In RE, pupils will explore the Gospel and Jesus' teachings. They will learn how Christians follow his example through kindness and charity, including the calling of the disciples and the Good Samaritan.

Music



In Music, pupils will learn and perform *Livin' on a Prayer*. They will explore the features and dynamics of rock music, develop their singing and instrumental skills and perform confidently as part of a group.

PE



In PE, pupils will take part in multi-skills activities while developing their ABCs: agility, balance and coordination. They will practise moving with control and improve their confidence, fitness and physical skills.

Computing



In Computing, pupils will develop their word-processing skills. They will create, edit and format documents, organise text effectively and use a range of tools to improve the presentation and accuracy of their work.

French



In French, pupils will learn vocabulary and phrases to describe people's physical appearance and personality. They will develop their speaking, listening, reading and writing skills by creating and sharing descriptions in French.