

Maths

Mental Maths: Master number bonds to 100 and use related facts; including decimals.

Maths: Number work (Addition/Subtraction and multiplication/division) calculations including decimals, problem solving, properties of shapes, co-ordinates, converting units of measurement and volume.

Diversity

R.E.

Topics: Bullied for Beliefs / A Life of Prayer

The Resurrection stories, the Martyrs and their beliefs, the Holy Spirit and the beginnings of the Church.

The story of the Pharisee and the Tax Collector, the Our Father, the Rosary, different ways of praying including other faiths.

P.S.H.E.

We will explore relationships with the wider world, how we are relational by nature and are called to love others through service, dialogue and working for the Common Good. We will also learn about managing money, budgeting, taking risks and consequences.

Cross Curricular Project

Topic: People who Inspire!

We will use research skills to collect information about an inspirational person, focusing on Preston and its people. We will communicate our findings in a written and oral presentation to the class.

The Big Question

Where does beauty come from?

School Visit: Lancaster Butterfly House

Homework: Monday Spellings & Reading, Tuesday Reading & Maths, Wednesday Reading, Thursday Number Skills & Reading (*Diary Signing*), Friday English & Reading

Prejudice



Moving on ...

Year 5
Summer Term

'Create'



Common Good

Computing

We will create programs by decomposing into smaller parts, select in programs, use conditions in repetition commands and work with variables. We will also create programs that control or simulate physical systems.

French

We will continue to build on our French vocabulary and basic conversational language, covering topics such as body parts, clothes and preferences.

English

Class Novel: Private Peaceful by Michael Morpurgo

We will explore different types of writing: diaries, poetry, letters, short story and informal language Comprehension work, sentence writing, handwriting practice, word work including vocabulary and spellings will be on going throughout the term.

Daily reading is still very important even for fluent readers. Please hear your child read as often as possible and talk to them about the books they are reading.

Belonging

Science

Topic: Change and the Cycle of Life

We will be learning about the life cycles of plants, animals and humans including parts of a flower, pollination, seeds and how they are dispersed. We will also examine how materials can undergo 'reversible' or 'irreversible' changes in certain conditions.

Games and Athletics

Fielding, bowling and striking skills in rounders and tennis, leading to simple small-sided games.

Running, jumping and throwing skills working towards The 'Shine' Pentathlon Challenge.

Art and Design

Topic: New Zealand

We will study patterns in nature. Ferns and turtles will inspire our own New Zealand themed artwork using the techniques of shading and enlargement.

Our work will be displayed in a school art exhibition.