

## Maths

### Year 3

- Multiply and divide by 2, 5, 10, 3, 4 & 8.
- Find links between times tables.
- Multiply 2-digit and 1-digit numbers with and without exchange.
- Divide 2-digit by 1-digit numbers.
- Divide without and with remainders.

### Year 4

- Multiply and divide by 0, 1, 6, 7, 9, 11 & 12.
- Multiply 3 numbers together.
- Identify factor pairs.
- Multiply and divide 2 and 3-digit numbers by 1-digit numbers.

## PSHE

This term the children will be learning about working together and building their financial understanding. There will be a focus on body language, effective communication, budgeting, income and organisational skills.

## English

Reading: Class book - *Iliad and Odyssey retold by Gillian Cross.*

Fiction: The children will be writing a character and setting description of Odysseus - focusing on the theme of loyalty and how he looks after his men.

Non-Fiction: The children will be writing a biography of the author (storyteller) Gillian Cross.

Punctuation, Grammar and Spelling:

- Identifying and writing expanded noun phrases.
- Identifying and fixing comma splices.
- Relative pronouns.
- Write literal similes for comparison.
- Synonyms and Antonyms.

## Christian value - Forgiveness

This half-term we will learn about, and use, forgiveness across the curriculum.

## Music

This term we will be learning about Beethoven's 5<sup>th</sup> symphony. We will be learning about motifs within music. We will be using glockenspiels to create our own motifs.

## Seekers Curriculum Map

### Spring 1

#### visit

This will take place next half term.

**Digital Citizenship:** This half term, we will be learning about Media balance and wellbeing. We will examine both online and in-person responsibilities.

**Latin:** This half term, there will be a focus on grammar. We will be identifying verbs and verb endings.

## Geography - Eastern Europe

1. Key Places in Eastern Europe
2. Climate of Eastern Europe
3. Physical Features of Eastern Europe
4. Comparison of an Eastern European country with the UK
5. Conflict in Eastern Europe

## History - Ancient Rome

This unit builds on children's understanding of Ancient Rome from Year 2. This unit focusses on the key substantive concepts of Empire, Civilisation, Government and Democracy.

1. Locating ancient Rome
2. Monarchy, Republic, Empire: Rome's different governments
3. Artefacts found at Pompeii
4. A day in the life of Ancient Rome
5. Latin: A Roman legacy

## RE

We will be focusing on Spirituality. Being connected to the natural world is important to human physical and mental health. Non-religious people can be spiritual. Humanism is an example of a non-religious worldview. Caring for the natural world is one way in which non-religious people can grow spiritually.

## PE

In PE this term, there is a focus on gymnastics. The children will develop skills in:

- Showing changes of direction, speed and level during a performance.
- Carrying out balances and travelling in different ways.
- Strength, technique and flexibility throughout performances.

## Science - Ecology

Pupils will learn about the seven things that all living things have in common; movement, sensitivity, respiration, nutrition, excretion, respiration and growth. Pupils will study food chains. They will learn that ecosystems are complex webs of life, with many things dependent on one another.

## Art

The concept of design will be explored by considering how the elements work together in the cut-outs of Matisse. Children explore how Matisse worked and make their own cut-outs of trapeze artists based on the work *Les Codomas*.