

RE - Memorial Topic - The Eucharist:
The living memorial of Jesus

Eucharist as the memorial of Christ
Eucharistic prayers
Eucharist as a sacrifice
Sacrifice in daily life.

Other Faiths:
Islam - Ramadan and Pilgrimage

DT - Seasonal Soup

We will look at seasonal foods which will lead up to the planning, making, tasting and evaluating of a seasonal soup.
To know how to dice, peel and grate vegetables safely and hygienically.

RHE: Created to Love Others

Created to Love Others explores the individual's relationship with others. Building on the understanding that we have been created out of love and for love, this module explores how we take this calling into our family, friendships and relationships, and teaches strategies for developing healthy relationships and keeping safe both online and in our daily lives.

We will also continue ongoing work to explore issues around bullying.

PE: Orienteering and Hockey

Learn the key features of a map and compass and use it to navigate in a team.
To learn and practise hockey skills in order to develop tactics in competitive sports situations.

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ENGLISH

To write a journal/report on space travel.
To write a historical fiction narrative revisiting WW1.

We are Reading: Cosmic by Frank Cottrell-Boyce

We will also cover a range of texts in guided reading to continue to develop and secure the following skills:

Retrieval: locating answers in text
Inference: using clues in the text to explain our impressions of character, action and plot
Vocabulary: explain meaning of words in context of sentences
Authorial Intent: explain why the author has chosen particular words and phrases
Summarising and Predicting



MATHS

We will continue with the unit on multiplying and dividing using a range of methods and exchanging. Children will continue to develop their reasoning and problem-solving skills.
Children will be introduced to the concept of multiplying fractions and mixed numbers by whole numbers and extend their learning of fractional amounts using visual and written strategies. Children will continue to build their confidence with problem solving and explore efficient methods for fractions as operators.
Children will begin to develop fluency with common decimals, fractions and percentages.

MUSIC:

Learn about rap music with The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air.
Know some of the style indicators of the songs and what the song lyrics are about.
Listen to follow musical instructions from a leader

GEOGRAPHY: World Rivers

To name and locate key rivers of the world.
To know what the source and mouth of a river is.
To map the River Thames.
To explain what transportation, erosion and deposition are.
To explain why rivers flood and coasts erode.

Computing

This unit looks at how a flat-file database can be used to organise data in records. Pupils use tools within a database to order and answer questions about data.

SCIENCE - Living Things and their Habitats

We will be studying and comparing the life cycles of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds.
We will find out about the stages of the life cycles of butterflies, chickens and frogs.
We will learn about the life process of reproduction in some plants and animals.

Year 5 Reminders

PE and Games are on a Monday and Thursday.
Spellings will be sent home on a Friday to be tested on the following Friday.
Times-tables should be practised daily.
Children should complete 30 minutes of Maths Flex a week.
Children need to read for at least 5-10 minutes every night. Please sign their reading record when they have read.