Maths

Children will learn how to:

- Compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to 2 decimal places.
- Round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number.
- Recognise and write decimal equivalents to a quarter, half and three quarters.
- Find the effect of dividing a one or two digit number by 10 or 100, identifying the value of the digits in the answer as ones, tenths and hundredths.
- Estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence.

English The Village that Vanished

Children will:

- Develop their knowledge of storytelling.
- Appreciate how the illustrations in a picture book contribute to the narrative.
- Learn how to frame convincing arguments through participation in a structured debate.
- Extend and refine their views of heroes and heroism by considering these qualities in a different cultural context.

Topic: Ancient Egypt

In History, Children will:

- Know about the main events, dates and characteristics of Ancient Egypt
- Know about the lives of people in those periods
- Know about the main similarities and differences between Ancient Egypt and Ancient Sumer
- Be able to give some reasons for particular events and changes

Ancient



PHSE - Relationships

Children will begin to understand the web of relationships they are part of and their roles and responsibilities within this.

Religious Education: The Gospels

Key Question: Why are there four Gospels and how are they relevant to Christians today? We will discuss how the Gospels came to be and the reasons why they were written.

We will reflect on why there are four versions of the same story and what that tells us about Jesus.

Science - Power It Up!

This half term, children learn about electricity.

They revisit some uses of electricity and the importance of safety before constructing simple circuits.



Computing

We are co-authors

The children will work collaboratively to research and refine information to then create a digital bank of information about given



French

To recognise and say numbers 21-31
To learn the names of parts of the body.
To say which part of them hurts!
To recognise the names of clothes.

PE - Inventing Games

To develop team skills in games.
To develop resilience during team games.
To understand that losing is an important part of team games.

Monday's - Swimming Friday's - PE



To learn about melody, tempo, dynamics, rhythm and pulse as well as reading music during our weekly recorder and ukulele lessons.

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How Can You Help?

Children should be regularly playing through Times Table Rockstars online to practise their times tables. Reading: Children are expected to read their Guided Reading book every night and complete their homework reading task for the following day.

Homework: Children will receive homework for English and Maths every Friday, and should return it no later than Wednesday the following week.