

Numeracy

To consolidate knowledge of fractions, algebra, measurement and ratio.

Outcomes:

Multiply and divide fractions
from pie charts

Solve algebraic problems by satisfying equations

Find percentages and fractions of amounts

Interpret information

Choose suitable strategies to solve problems involving all four operations

Convert between different units of measurement

Calculate the perimeter, area and volume of shapes

Solve problems involving ratio and proportion

Literacy

This half term, we will be writing for a range of purposes, including narrative, letters and debates, inspired by the play, 'Macbeth'. We will then be writing performance poetry linked to Shakespearian writing.

Outcomes:

Children will be able to:

Use tenses correctly to show shifts in time.

Write stories with dilemmas; Give both sides of an argument

Develop advanced sentence structures to vary writing and engage the reader.

Year 6 - Myths & Legends

Topic

Over this half term we will be following a unit of work on a theme that focuses on "Myths and Legends".

Some of the activities for our topic include:

- *Researching the origins and meanings of myths and legends
- *Researching different countries and societies that are well-known for their myths and legends
- * Finding out about major events in the past that have impacted myths and legends
- *Producing our own piece of art to represent a story we have written

We'll also be:

- *Finding out about traditions, celebrations and religious festivals which have been influenced by myths and legends from the past
- *Looking at how global brands use myths and legends to persuade people to buy their products
- *Having fun creating some of our very own mythical creatures and writing our own inventive myth and legends

PHSE - Dreams and Goals

Outcomes: Children will be able to reflect on dreams for the future and how to set realistic goals that can help them to realise and achieve those dreams and hopes.

Religious Education

Christianity - Is anything ever eternal?

Outcomes: Children will be able to:
Evaluate different beliefs about eternity and to understand the Christian perspective on this.

Computing

To develop their knowledge of spreadsheets

Physical Education - Cricket

We will be having a cricket coach run our sessions for this half term.

Please bring your PE Kit on a Tuesday



Music

Year 6 continue their ukulele, guitar and flute sessions for selected students. Singing is also practised weekly in Friday assemblies.

French

We will be learning about school and daily activities.

Parents

How Can You Help?

Linked to our topic, please encourage your children to research about myths and legends - especially from the different countries where your families originally come from.

Reading: Children are expected to read and/or do reading homework every night and bring their books into school **every day**.

Maths Homework: Children will receive homework for Maths and English homework every Friday to be returned by Wednesday the following week.

