

St Mary Queen of Martyrs Voluntary Catholic Academy

Term: Autumn Year Groups: 1 and 2 (Phase 1)

English

Reading

Children will be reading Bog Baby and Wild. They will be working on discussing vocabulary, retrieval skills and sequencing skills. Phonics is taught daily and your child will bring home books linked to their texts covered in school.

Writing

Children will be writing a range of genres over the term. They will use the text of Conker the Chameleon to write character descriptions. They will use their senses to write setting descriptions of Hull Fair. Pupils will research the 'Hull Ridgeback Dragon' to complete non-chronological reports..

Religious Education

Units covered by Y1: Families, Belonging Units covered by Y2: Beginnings, Signs and Symbols

Maths

Pupils will learn and practise how to:

Year 1

- Count to 100 and beyond.
- Count collections of objects by making groups of ten.
- Count in 10s.
- Represent numerals from 20-100 using objects, numerals and number names
- Form two-digit numbers.

Year 2

- Count forwards and backwards within 100.
- Represent numbers to 100 with tens and ones.
- Compare numbers up to 100 using < > and =.
- Add and subtract multiples of 10 e.g. 30 + 50.
- Add 3 single digit numbers.
- Know number bonds to 20.

Geography and History

Geography:

Pupils will use an atlas to locate Hull. They will learn about the geographical physical and human features in Hull using aerial photographs and a walk in our local area. They will then create maps of our local area and the city of Hull including compass points and a key.

History:

Pupils will learn about how transport has changed over time. They will investigate how cars, boats, trains and emergency vehicles have been used in living memory using a range of sources. The children will create a transport timeline and look at how it has developed more recently. This will inspire us to create our own cars of the future!

Science

Pupils will learn about the topic of Materials through:

- Testing different materials for different uses.
- Identifying and classifying different materials.
- Looking at how materials can be used for more than one thing.
- How materials can be recycled and used for different purposes.

Art

Children will learn the artist Paul Klee and his work:

- Know the names of primary colours and use them for mixing.
- Apply colour with a range of tools.
- Use as many tones of one colour as possible.
- Use colour on a large scale.
- Create an image inspired by his work out of blocks linking to buildings found in Hull.
- Use crayons, paint and pastels to create the final piece.

Personal, Social, Health and Citizenship Education

Children will use the Jigsaw programme to learn: Being me in my world

- How to make everyone welcome.
- How to work with others in our school community.
- Every child has the right to learn.

Computing

Children will learn how to use a tablet device to take photographs of their work, record voice notes and annotate their work before saving it. They will learn how to keep safe when using the internet.

PE

In Dance pupils will learn:

- Choose movements to add together to make a dance to fit a theme
- Use movement to communicate feelings
- Perform basic actions like turning, rolling, jumping, travelling, making a shape and holding it
- Say what they like about their own and other's movements

In Real PE pupils will learn:

- How to balance on one leg when playing individual games.
- Use a range of equipment such as bean bags, balls, cones and hoops
- A variety of jumps and how to land safely.
- Static balances.

Music

Children will learn to be musicians by:

- Listening carefully to different music and discussing what they can hear.
- Talking about their likes and dislikes
- Performing solos or as part of a group
- Singing or playing a range of instruments.
- Learns songs linked to our topics of transport and materials.