

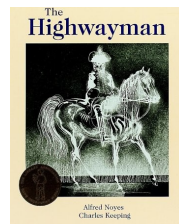
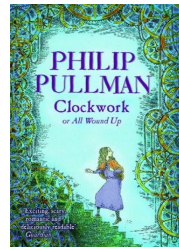
English

Writing:

- Newspaper reports and letters from prison based on 'The True Story of the Three Little Pigs' and other fairy tales.
- Poetry based on 'The Highwayman' and techniques such as personification and metaphors.
- Continued focus on Y5/6 grammar and punctuation, including the use of brackets, dashes, colons and semi-colons.
- Writing in different styles - formal writing compared to informal writing.

Reading:

We will continue to study a range of shorter non-fiction texts alongside 'Clockwork' by Philip Pullman.



Mathematics:

Year 5s:

- Multiplying up to 3 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers using efficient methods.
- Multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000.
- Dividing up to 4 digit numbers with and without remainders.
- Using bar models to solve more complex word problems.
- Reading tables and line graphs.
- Finding equivalent fractions.
- Comparing and ordering fractions.

Year 6s:

- Prime numbers.
- Simplifying, comparing and ordering fractions.
- Adding, subtracting and multiplying fractions and mixed numbers.
- Dividing fractions by whole numbers.
- Writing fractions as decimals.
- Multiplying and dividing decimals.
- Multiplying and dividing decimals by whole numbers.
- Converting between different units of length, mass, volume and time.

RE

Understanding Christianity: Was Jesus the Messiah?

- Why do Christians believe the world needed a saviour?
- Contrasting Jewish/Christian beliefs about whether Jesus was the Messiah.
- Has Christmas lost its meaning? How might Christians celebrate differently to atheists?

Science:

Chameleons will learn about different forces that act on objects around them, including gravity, air resistance, water resistance and friction.

Working scientifically:

Chameleons will learn to use practical skills, processes and methods.

Art & DT:

- Analyse how artists tell stories through their artwork (ie in Madox Brown's work).
- How do artists show emotion using body language?
- Lowry: five colour paintings and matchstick people.

Humanities

Comparing and contrasting how crime and punishment in Britain has changed over time, focusing on the Roman legacy, Anglo-Saxon laws, Tudor punishments, Victorian prisons and modern day laws and punishments.

French

Mrs Campbell will continue to teach French on Thursday afternoons.

PE

- Gymnastics (Wednesdays):
- Mirroring and contrasting movements in a group.
- Dodgeball (Thursdays):
- Attack and defence skills.

Computing:

Creating platform games using Scratch, by learning to use skills of designing, more complex coding, debugging, evaluating and refining.

PSHE

Our whole school value this term is **Respect**. Our whole school worship will be centred around showing respect.

In PSHE, we will focus on respecting difference and showing tolerance. We are also hoping to raise money for 'Bin Twinning', a charity which support our eco work.

Music

How does music connect us with our past? Chameleons will appraise a variety of music, play instruments, sing and use the correct vocabulary to help them answer the question.

