

Parent Information Sheet

Topic Overview Class

S2 Term

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Curricular	Subject	ning at these levels earlier and others later, depending upon individual needs and aptitudes. Topic(s)
Area	505/001	
		DA: Drama Study: 'Dracula' adapted by David Caldicott.
		Library Project: Literacy skills including active listening, research and note
	English	making as well as promoting reading for enjoyment.
Languages		
		CM: CM: exploring various forms of media critically to develop analytical
		and communication skills
		Homework - weekly literacy, fortnightly spelling texts. Using and Understanding language will be based around hobbies.
	French	Grammar focus will be on conjugating verbs, but mainly the structure of
		questions and how ask and answers questions.
Numeracy		Rounding, properties of quadrilaterals and their areas, further application
	Maths	of fractions, decimals and percentages including money and the 4
		operations for fractions.
	PE	Learning about sports leadership – styles, skills and qualities of leaders and
		how leadership can impact on the success of a sporting event. (Delivered by Linda Thomson – Active Schools)
	Life Skills	Social, health and wellbeing activities, how to support them to have
		enough sleep, a good diet, exercise and reduce screen time.
	RME	Rites of Passage – how different life stages are marked and celebrated in
		different world religions and non-religious groups.
		Through a range of practical and written activities we will be introducing
	Home Ec	the link between diet and health. Studying dietary targets and their
		benefits to health and studying the sources and function of nutrients.
Science	Science	1. Decomposers - what are they, what do they do and importance.
		 Genetic engineering - how it is used now, the future. Investigating the periodic table
Social Studies		Investigate the appearement of Germany, major battles of World War
	History	Two, and important aspects of the war eg breaking of Enigma code and
		Operations Mincemeat.
	Geography	Shaping out Landscape – looking at how the physical landscapes around
		the world have be created and continue to change – coasts, volcanoes
		earthquakes and tsunamis.
	Modern	Equality, diversity and human rights. A look at social structures within the UK. Human rights, what are they, a comparison of rights across the world
	Studies	The rights of the child.
Expressive Arts	Art	Looking at identity the pupils will create portraits inspired by the work of
		Louis Jover.
		Looking at how a band would arrange and agree on songs, arranging
	Music	them to include everyone playing an instrument they are not as
		knowledgeable off.
Technologies	BIC	Touch typing. Computer calculations, binary, storage of images, and
		computer logic. Making a small stool. Skills: mortise and tenon joints, shaping and cutting.
	Technical	Introduction to technical drawing: use of drawing board, types of lines,
		Orthographic third angle drawing.