

In Literacy we will be:

- Looking at the features of well written biographies.
- Developing planning skills for our writing.
- Writing biographies about a famous individual from the Tudor era.
- Using a range of sources to learn about Tudor monarchs and life in Tudor England.
- Reading a selection of Shakespeare's stories.
- Acting out a scene from a Shakespeare play.
- Creating well structured and informative newspaper reports about an important Tudor event.
- Using capital letters for proper nouns.
- Learning the difference between direct and reported speech.
- Learning to use inverted commas correctly for direct speech.

In Science we will be learning about lifecycles looking at:

- Identifying a range of mammals, amphibians, insects and birds.
- Identifying similarities and differences between the lifecycles of different animals.
- Learning the difference between complete and incomplete metamorphosis.
- Describing what an ecosystem is, understanding why we study them and learning how we can care for them.

In our R.E topic 'God's Covenants' we will be looking and learning about:

- God's covenant with Noah.
- God's covenant with Abraham.
- How God guides and challenges His people.
- How The Ten Commandments were a gift from God.
- Prophets God sent to remind us of His covenants.

Year 5 Autumn 2 Half Term Topic: The Tudors



In PSHE, our topic will be 'God is Calling'. It will focus on:

- Pupils will look at the nature of God's call to love others.
- children will learn that they are created by God who cares for us and wants us to put our faith in Him.

In P.E our focus will be football. We will be learning to:

- Apply a variety of turning and shielding skills in opposed scenarios.
- To pass the ball accurately over a short distance. Develop basic receiving skills whilst under pressure from an opponent.

In Computing we will be:

- Learning what a database is and what they are used for.
- Learning what a cell, a record and a field are.
- Searching a range of online databases.

In our Mathematics learning the class will be:

- Multiplying and dividing whole numbers by 10, 100 and 1000.
- Multiplying numbers up to 4 digits by a one or two digit number using a formal written method, including long multiplication for 2 digit numbers.
- Dividing numbers up to 4 digits by a one digit number using the formal written method of short division and interpret remainders appropriately for the context.
- Identifying multiples and factors, including finding all factor pairs of a number, and common factors of two numbers.
- Recognising and using square numbers and cube numbers and the notation for squared (2) and cubed (3).
- Completing, reading and interpreting information in tables including timetables.

In History and Geography we will be learning about:

- The Wars of the Roses and the Battle of Bosworth.
- The Tudor monarchs.
- Key events that occurred during the Tudor era.
- Tudor medicine.
- Crime and punishment.
- Tudor entertainment.
- Everyday life for rich and poor Tudors.

In our Art and Design lessons, we will be:

- Developing our sketching skills to create a Tudor style portrait.
- Use a range of joining techniques to construct a sturdy Tudor style building.