

English

This week in English, we started exploring our new book, *The King Who Banned the Dark*. We began learning about persuasive writing by discussing the pros and cons of banning the dark. We thought about different arguments for and against it.

Science

This week, we explored the different groups of invertebrates. We learned how to identify them based on their characteristics and discussed how each group is unique.

D&T

PSHE/RSE

This week in PSHE, we explored our Learning Charter. We learned how democracy and having a voice can benefit the school community. We also discussed why following the Learning Charter helps everyone in our school.

Computing

We learnt about the World Wide Web (WWW) and how it is part of the internet. We discovered that the web is made up of websites and web pages that we can visit using a web browser to find information, and use online services.

PE

This week in PE, we explored the states of matter through dance. We used our movements, shapes, and space to show how solids, liquids, and gases behave, thinking about direction, speed, and flow to represent each state.

Maths

This week in maths, we explored addition in more detail. We focused on using the column method, practising regrouping once and also regrouping more than once in calculations. We also worked on solving problems with missing numbers.

Music

This week in music, we explored the pentatonic scale. We learned that it is made up of five notes.

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28.9.26 - 2.10.26



Saint Moses
the Strong

RE Homework:

Choose one of the three stages of Abraham's life that we have studied and draw a detailed picture showing what happened. Think carefully about the people, setting and important events from the Bible story. You can add labels or a short caption to explain your picture.

Next week...

We have a very exciting week coming up:

- Black History Month Starts
- Tuesday 6th - Father Julian Visit
- Wednesday 8th - Football Trials at lunch.

RE

We explored the three virtues of faith, hope and love and linked them to the life and choices of Abraham. We also learnt about St Francis of Assisi, focusing on how he served the poor, cared for others and lived out his faith, as part of our learning marking 800 years since his death.

Spellings and Homework

In Spellings next week, we will explore the rules for applying the suffixes: -y, -est and -er.

Spelling Test Words for Next Week:

1. grandest
2. spiciest
3. wettest
4. merrier
5. dryer
6. luckier
7. smelliest
8. bluest
9. nicest
10. thinner
11. bigger
12. freshest
13. closer
14. sadder
15. copier

Other Homework:

- TTRS - 3 times a week for more than 5 minutes.
- Tables Check Online Practice
- See homework set on Atom Learning.

Golden Book



Raiya

History

This week in History, we explored why the Romans built roads and towns in Britain. We learned how these helped them control and connect the country. We also designed our own Roman town, thinking about where buildings, roads, and other features should go.