

Newchurch Community Primary School - Share in our learning...Year 1 Summer 1

English

Our class texts for this half term:

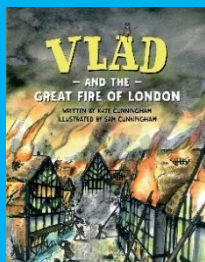
Poetry

If I had a beak!



Historical fiction

Vlad and the Great Fire of London



Writing:

We will be using our class text to focus on the following targets in our grammar and writing:

- Compose a sentence orally before writing it
- Combine words to make sentences
- Sequence sentences to form short narratives
- Leave spaces between words
- Discuss what they have written with adults and peers
- Re-read what they have written to check it makes sense
- Use capital letters for the names of people and the personal pronoun 'I'
- Consistently use capital letters and full stops
- Join words and clauses using 'and'

Mathematics:

Along with our arithmetic and calculation skills we will be looking at the following areas of the curriculum:

Measurement Money



Multiplication and division



We will be looking to master a wide range of targets linked to these areas, such as:

- Count in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s
- solve one-step problems involving multiplication and division, by using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays
- Compare, describe and solve practical problems for money
- Understand the value of coins and notes

Useful websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/superheroes/ks1-maths-collection/z6v4scw>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/>

Science:

This half term our topic is...

Animals including humans



- identify, name, draw and label the basic parts of the human body and say which part of the body is associated with each sense
- identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals
- identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores
- describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals (fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals including pets)

Useful websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zrsggk7>
[Key Stage 1 Science | KS1 Age 5-7 | Education Quizzes](#)

Physical Education:

This half term the children will be applying the fundamental skills



they developed in previous units to **Handball** and **Hockey**.

History:

Enquiry question

Could the Great Fire of London have been prevented?



Art: Mixed media

Artist Link – Pattern making or Guillermo Kuitca

The unit will look at repeating patterns, symmetry and natural/manmade patterns. They will experiment by arranging, folding, repeating, overlapping, regular and irregular patterning.



Religious Education: Hindu Dharma

Key question:

What do Hindus believe about God?



Music: Pitch (Superheroes)

This new unit helps the children learn how to identify high and low notes and to compose a simple tune to represent a superhero.

Useful websites: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqbw2hv>

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<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zc2ntrd>

PSHE:

Physical health and mental well-being

Unit objectives:

Understand how we keep healthy
Understand how food, exercise and good hygiene play a part in keeping us healthy

Understand how we keep ourselves safe in the sun



Languages:

Los Superheroes

Targets:

Recognise, recall, and remember the 6 colours presented in Spanish.

Recognise and remember the high frequency verbs:

'I am called', 'I have', 'I live', 'I am' and 'I know how to...'. .

Present and describe themselves as a superhero.



Computing:

Information technology

The children will use technology to classify minibeasts. In this unit the children will learn about gathering and presenting information. They will then make their own David Attenborough style nature documentary. Includes a range of continuous provision activities.



Useful websites:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/z28qmp3>