

English

In English we will be covering:

- Follow up work from the novel Carrie's War by Nina Bawden. A range of activities including an in-depth book review and character study / watching the DVD then follow up with plans as directors as producers of a book / comparing and contrasting the novel to the DVD . The first week back will be referencing page numbers to themes and ideas from the novel - skimming and scanning for information. (Mrs Merrick)
- Freeform poetry – focusing on word use and imagery (Mrs Payne)
- Guided Reading - enjoying and discussing a variety of texts

Maths

In Maths the Juniors will be learning about:

- Calculation and mental maths procedures
- Problem solving and in-depth challenges.
- Fractions of quantities in readiness for the arithmetic paper
- Data handling in the context of real-life situations.

In week one we will be adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing decimals.

French (Mrs Merrick)

Completing the destination topic of countries and flags and moving to transport. We will look at various forms of cars / buses and planes (of course !) and learn to say where they are going and where they would take us on holiday perhaps or where we would use the vehicles in everyday life.

Art (Mrs Merrick)

A study of painting and drawing a plane of our choice from the Battle of Britain; this will be in various mediums - pencil / watercolour / acrylic
Begins in week one.

DT (Mrs Merrick)

Airfix kit plane building each week on a Monday afternoon. This uses our perseverance skills and staying power as we work our way through the models slowly and carefully building up our planes from the Battle of Britain.
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Science (Mrs Merrick)

States of matter and properties of materials

We will be looking at reversible and irreversible changes in materials.
We will be investigating: can we change the state of something by melting, burning or cooking and can we reverse that change? We will be looking at filtering and sieving items.
The first week back - it's the melting process.

Class Two Spring 2 Topics

ICT (Mrs Payne)

The children will be continuing to design, write and debug programs using Kodu.

History (Mrs Payne)

We will be continuing to study the Battle of Britain learning about the impact this had on daily lives i.e rationing, evacuation etc. The children will be designing their own propaganda films/posters; examining historical artefacts and enhancing their learning through a trip to Eden Camp.

RE (Mrs Payne)

This half term we will be learning about the Easter Story. The children will gain an understanding of Jesus' sacrifice and resurrection and how that is remembered by Christians today.