

**English:**

**Text:** Persuasive letters based on local climate issues, Narrative writing based on the short film 'The Piano'; Volcanoes and Earthquake poems

**Writing** Using persuasive techniques, the children will be writing a formal letter to the local council member regarding climate issues. Using figurative language, symbolism to write a flashback. Writing poems inspired by earthquake and volcano poems

**Reading:** developing use of prediction, explanation, retrieval, summarising and exploring vocabulary and inference; using evidence in text to support understanding

**Maths—White Rose Maths:****Fractions, Decimals and Percentages**

Representing numbers up to 3 decimal places and identifying the values of the digits.

Extend integers and decimals to numbers greater than 1.

Rounding numbers to 3 decimal places and understanding place value columns to do this. Adding & subtracting decimals up to 3 decimal places.

Multiplying and dividing decimals by 10, 100 and 1000.

Solve problems involving the calculation of percentages and the use of percentages for comparison.

Recall and use equivalences between simple fractions, decimals and percentages including in different contexts.

**Measurement: Area, Perimeter and Volume**

Calculate the area of parallelograms and triangles

Calculate, estimate and compare volume of cubes and cuboids using standard units.

**RE:****How does the Christian Festival of Easter offer hope? - Salvation**

Learn about how the Easter story helps Christians to understand the meaning of forgiveness; Know Jesus' journey to the cross offers signs of hope; Understand how the Easter story relates to God's plan of Salvation; Find out how the resurrection narratives point towards an understanding of Christian hope.

**PE:**

Tuesday - Tennis

Friday - Handball

**Science:****Light pollution**

Find out what light pollution is and how we can reduce it

**The circulatory system**

Learn about the circulatory system. What it is and how the heart pumps blood around the body. Know what blood is and how it flows around the body. Know that blood carries oxygen around the body.

**Computing:****Introduction to Spreadsheets.**

Learn about collecting data and formatting a spreadsheet. They will learn how to use formula to produce calculated data. They will use this knowledge to plan an event and create charts.

**French:**

Story with animals - L'ours Brun  
Towns and countryside in France  
Learn to name public places  
Describe what there is in my town  
Say what is missing in my town using the negative form

**Geography/History:**

Know what a volcano is and describe the process of a volcano. Identify and locate the position of some well-known volcanoes. Know what an earthquake is, what causes them and how they are measured. Know how people protect homes from earthquake damage.

**DT: Frame structures**

Design, make and evaluate an adventure playground equipment for younger children. Learn how to use woodworking tools to create models.

**Music:**

Musical styles connect us.

Play, improvise and compose using a selection of notes.

**PSHE:**

Money Matters - influences and attitudes to money; money and financial risks.