

English

The children will be continuing to use 'Talk4Writing' to write a humorous tale based on the story 'Five Men in a Fishing boat'. The children will then invent their own tale and an information text to link in with topic-Formula One. They will also be encouraged to use compound and complex sentences. The children will focus on using a range of vocabulary and understanding nouns and adverbs in a sentence. They will also be exploring a range of conjunctions and a variety of punctuation such as commas, exclamation marks, speech marks and possessive apostrophe

There will be regular Reciprocal Reading sessions so that your child is heard reading every week. The children will continue to have SPAG sessions (spelling, punctuation and grammar) where they will review spelling and punctuation rules.

The Readopoly Board will also begin. The children will move one place on the board for every book they read. It is essential that their reading records are signed as evidence.

PE

In PE the children will learn May Pole Dancing for a performance in the festival in the Playground.

Music

This term the year 2s will be exploring the world of film music. Pupils will have the opportunity to compose their own sound tracks for a Tom and Jerry cartoon using keyboards, percussion and everyday objects to create audio effects. Pupils will be looking at different types of films while analysing the mood and effect of the music to discover why music in film is so important.

Science and DT

The children will be learning about plants in Science. They will also be making a car and testing it on different materials to see which car works the best and why. This will give the children an opportunity to plan, create, test and evaluate.

Topic—Geography/History

The children will focus on locating the continents, oceans and countries on a map by linking it to where Formula One races occur. They will also develop their understanding of where Oxfordshire is and its surrounding counties by locating the team headquarters.

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RE

The children will learn about 'Community and Belongings'. The children will study the question, 'Does going to a mosque give Muslims the sense of belonging?' They will learn about the special journey Muslims complete during the time of 'Hajj'. Our focus for collective worship is forgiving and creativity.

Our **Collective Worship Theme** —Friendship

ART

Frank Stella is our focus artist this term. The children will learn how to paint using water colours and learn coil and slip skills using clay.

Computing

The children will be using the app Popplet to create mind maps and organise ideas about an aspect of Formula One

PSHE

Our PSHE topic is based on 'Relationships'. The children will be learning about relationships within families and friendships. They will be exploring trust, appreciation and keeping safe.

Maths

This term the children will be continuing to challenge themselves solving addition, subtraction, multiplication and division problem solving. The children will review different methods including Year 2 strategies. They will also continue finding the difference between two digit numbers. The children will develop their fraction understanding and its relationship to division. Time and money will also be re-capped and extended.

