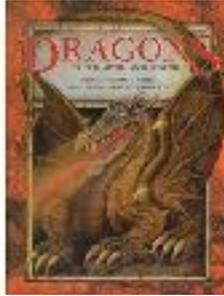


English

We begin our English work by studying the text 'Dragons Truth, Myth and Legend.' By David Passes

During the sequence, the children will create their own story about a Dragon, making sure they all use their knowledge of punctuation appropriately and continue to us expanded noun phrases and will use simple, complex and compound sentences.



Maths

Number Sense: The children will be able to make appropriate decisions about when to use their understanding of counting, place value and rounding for solving problems including adding and subtracting.

Additive Reasoning: The children will be able to solve addition and subtraction problems in different contexts, appropriately choosing and using number facts, understanding of place value and



PHSE

Mrs Smith will be teaching us PHSE. She will start by looking at New Beginnings and friendships.



Year 4 Learning Experience Autumn 1 2017 Theme: The Hunters and the Hunted

This learning experience will teach the children about the raids and invasions by Vikings in Anglo-Saxon Britain. The children will learn who the Vikings were as well as when and where they raided and settled. They will learn about significant events from the period and order these chronologically on a timeline. The children will find out about the Anglo-Saxon kings who ruled during the 'Viking Age' and examine their influence and significance in British history. In addition to this, they will learn about the Anglo-Saxon justice system and compare and contrast crimes, punishments and laws with their modern day equivalents. The children will also have the opportunity to learn about different aspects of everyday Viking life. They will explore the types of houses that the Vikings lived in, what clothes they wore and even what types of food they ate.

Science: Animals including

In science the children will be able to: Describe the simple functions of the basic parts of the digestive system in humans; identify the different types of teeth in humans and their simple functions; construct and interpret a variety of food chains, identifying producers, predators and prey.

Religious Education

Creation and New Beginnings.

This unit is designed to give more information about the story of creation. It is designed to help children explore the concept of 'image and likeness of God' and because God is in all of us we are called to respect and value our similarities and differences. In valuing and respecting those similarities and differences, we are called to be united together to eradicate injustice and give dignity to the human person. Through knowledge of the Jewish faith, the children will explore the skills of reverence and respect and reflect on how to apply these in their own lives of faith.

Homework

Homework will be given out on a Friday and will need to be handed in on the following Wednesday.

Homework will take place through a variety of means such as projects, research and consolidation of the weeks work.

PLEASE CONTINUE TO READ WITH YOUR CHILD DAILY.

PE

Our PE lessons are on a Monday and Thursday afternoons.

We are very fortunate to be welcoming Torquay United back to help us with PE. The children will be focusing on keeping fit and developing flexibility, strength, technique, control and balance through playing a variety of competitive games.