

Science

In Science this term, Oak Class will be learning about electricity. Within this topic the children will learn about the symbols used in circuits, The major scientific discoveries involving electricity and how to build a circuit using wires, bulbs and switches.

Geography

We will be learning about Antarctica where it is and what is it like?

Art

In art, the children will be learning about the war time artist called Paul Nash. They will investigate propoganda and how art was used to help during the war. The children will look at designing their own propoganda poster as part of a Design Technology project

Computing

This term the children will be learning about how to use computer programmes and layering to create propoganda posters. We will continue to learn how to stay safe while using the internet and how to keep safe passwords.

English

Our main class text this term is 'War Games' by Michael Foreman and is set at the outbreak of WWI. The children will use this text to help them write a persuasive recruitment speech and informal letters.

Class will also look at the adventures of Shackleton and a book called Ice Trap by MP Robertson. This will be used to help the children write a narrative.

Oak Class Term 2 – WWI



How did WWI start?

Mathematics

This term the children will be focusing on multiplication skills using a formal written method of short multiplication. They will also look at developing skills of division including long division before moving on to understanding fractions of an amount and equivalent fractions.

Physical Education (PE)

In PE this term, we will be learning about rugby and dance. The children will be learning the skills of passing, making space and game play in rugby. We will also launch the Big Dance and start rehearsing for the event in March.

PHSE

In PHSE this term, we will be thinking carefully about ourselves and what it means to be me! The children will be thinking about what it means to be different and what some children have learnt to live with through a disability.

Religious Education (RE)

Our whole school value this term is Compassion. Within RE lessons, the children will be discussing why some people believe in God, some do not and others are unsure. We will explore the terms theist, atheist and agnostic.

Music

Music will be taught in the build up to Glyndebourne and Christmas singing. The children will be Makaton sign language to some of the songs for Glyndebourne.

French (MfL)

Oak Class will be following the theme of 'French Portraits' We will be looking at how to describe someone, how to describe someone's character and French adjectives.