

English:

Books: Lila and the Secret of Rain by David Conway, Zahra (short film unit) and poetry focus.
Week 1: Focus on African poetry. Key poem is ‘The Elephant’ which will form the structure of writing our own poems about different African animals.
Week 2: Zahra film unit – Focus on narrative skills of noun phrases, exclamation sentences and use of conjunctions
Week 3: Zahra film unit – writing our own version of the story of the film incorporating the narrative features we focussed on last week.
Week 4: Lila and the Secret of Rain – writing a setting description and developing our understanding of expanded noun phrases, similes and use of conjunctions
Week 5: Lila and the Secret of Rain – writing our own version of the story using the structure to support us eg Alex and the Secret of the Sun, incorporating all the skills learnt this term.

Phonics: Level 5

Week 1: adding -s and -es
Week 2: adding -er and -est
Week 3: ‘tch’ saying /ch/
Week 4: adding -ing and -er
Week 5: ‘are’ and ‘ear’ saying /air/
Week 6: unspoken e

Phonics: Level 6

Week 1: ‘war’ saying /wor/ and ‘wor’ saying /wur/
Week 2: adding suffixes -ment and -ness
Week 3: ‘s’ saying /zh/
Week 4: ‘wa’ saying /wo/ and ‘qua’ saying /quo/
Week 5: ‘tion’ saying ‘shun’
Week 6: adding the suffixes -ful, -less and -ly to words

Computing: Creating media; Digital Writing

Lesson 1: Exploring the keyboard
Lesson 2: Adding and removing text
Lesson 3: Exploring the toolbar
Lesson 4: Making changes to my text
Lesson 5: Explaining my choices – putting all our skills together

Music: Animals

Lesson 1: To create short sounds with varied dynamics that represent an animal.
Lesson 2: To copy a short sound pattern.
Lesson 3: To explore call and response.
Lesson 4: To create sound patterns based on call and response.
Lesson 5: To perform different sounds patterns with contrasting dynamics.

Topic: Africa with a Geographical focus on Kenya.

Lesson 1: Locating Africa and Kenya on a map and looking at what life is like there.
Lesson 2: Maasai culture and comparing this.
Lesson 3: The Big Five: African animals
Lesson 4: Using compass skills and to create a map based on an African Safari reserve.
Lesson 5: Why do people go to Kenya? Tourism.
Lesson 6: Assess and Review

Art: African inspired art.

Lesson 1: Exploring pattern and design.
Lesson 2: Design and create my own African inspired pattern to print.
Lesson 3: Exploring a range of materials to create a final piece.
Lesson 4: To be able to create an African sunrise silhouette piece.



RE: What is the ‘Good News’ Christians believe Jesus brings?

Lesson 1: Values week
Lesson 2: Understanding what Good News is and the 12 disciples.
Lesson 3: Understanding how Jesus forgave and understanding how God can give you peace
Lesson 4: Which is most important? Friendship, forgiveness or peace?
Lesson 5: How ‘good news’ challenges us.
Lesson 6: Creating/writing prayers based around our learning this term.

Our Christian Value this term is **Friendship**.
- What is Friendship?
- Learning Friendship through the Bible with such as the story
‘David and Jonathan’
- What does showing friendship look and feel like?

Yr 1 Maths: Mass and Volume, Multiplication and Division and Fractions

Week 1: heavier and lighter, measure and compare mass, full and empty
Week 2: compare volume, measure and compare capacity
Week 3: count in 2s, 5s and 10s, recognise equal groups
Week 4: add equal groups, make array and doubles, make equal groups by grouping
Week 5: make equal groups by sharing, recognise and find a half of an object or shape, recognise and find half a quantity

Yr 2 Maths: Measure (length), Mass, Capacity and Temperature and Fractions

Week 1: order lengths and heights and answering questions involving the 4 operations.
Week 2: compare mass, measure in grams and kilograms, four operations using mass.
Week 3: compare volume and capacity, measure in millilitres and litres, four operations with volume and capacity.
Week 4: temperature, parts and whole, equal and unequal parts, finding a half.
Week 5: recognise and find a quarter, recognise and find a third, unit and non-unit fractions.
Week 6:

Science: Animals including Humans

Lesson 1: Observing animals
Lesson 2: Comparing animals
Lesson 3: The Human Body
Lesson 4: Senses
Lesson 5: Testing the effectiveness of exercise

RSHE: Relationships

Lesson 1: Families
Lesson 2: Making Friends
Lesson 3: Greetings
Lesson 4: People who Help us
Lesson 5: Being my own Best Friend
Lesson 6: Celebrating my Special Relationships

PE: Swimming, Tennis and Cricket

PE will be taught on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.
On Wednesdays PE will be taught by Mr Papper.