

Year 3 and 4 Curriculum - Spring 1 2024

Power Maths

Y3 Power Maths - Textbook

Unit 6: Multiplication and Division (3)

Unit 7: Length and Perimeter

Unit 8: Fractions (1)

Y4 Power Maths - Textbook

Unit 6: Multiplication and Division (2)

Unit 7: Length and Perimeter

Unit 8: Fractions (1)

Computing

<u>Programming A – Repetition in shapes</u>

The children will look at repetition and loops within programming. They will create programs by planning, modifying, and testing commands to create shapes and patterns. The children will use Logo, a text-based programming language.

PE

Games: Hockey

The unit of work will explore how to apply the principles of attack vs defence, with a particular focus on passing and moving and dribbling. Pupils will learn how to keep possession and eventually score in order to win a modified game.

<u>Dance</u>

Children will be learning how to develop movements to express the music they hear. They will learn to make them flow and have clear start and end points. Children will look at being in unison with a partner.

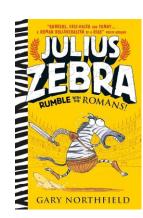
Online Safety

Online bullying

Children will explore strategies for effective reporting and intervention and how bullying and other aggressive behaviour relates to legislation.

English

- **★** SPAG
 - Pre teaching speech
- **★** Fiction
 - Diary Entry
- **★** Fiction
 - Narrative



Science

Electricity

The children will be looking at common appliances that use electricity. They will build and draw series circuits while identifying why a circuit might not be working. The children will be introduced to the terms 'conductors and insulators', and how these affect circuits.

PSHE

Keeping Safe

The children will be learning about safe choices, identifying risks and potential dangers. We will look at safe people and actions. Children will also focus on strategies for keeping safe and actions to take when they see a potential risk.

Salvation: Why do Christians call the day Jesus died 'Good Friday'?

The children will explore how Christians show their beliefs about Palm Sunday, Good Friday and Easter Sunday in worship and make links between some of the stories and teachings in the Bible and life in the world today.

Why did the Romans settle in Britain?

The children will learn about and look at the chronology of Roman Empire and invasion. They will learn about the Roman army and its significance in the successes of the Romans. We will look in depth at who Boudicca was and her role in Roman history. Children will also study Roman artefacts and make observations from these.

<u>Art</u>

Sculpture & 3D: Abstract shape

The children will be trying out different ways to make card shapes three dimensional, e.g. folding and curving the card or joining the flat shapes together. They will combine shapes together to make an interesting free-standing sculpture.

Music

<u>Ukulele</u>

- Composing an 8 bar rhythm and making it in a melody with a backing track.
- Continue learning about the elements of music and instruments of the instruments of the orchestra.

<u>French</u>

Playground games - numbers and age

The children will recall numbers in French, with generally accurate pronunciation. They will ask and answer a question about their age, and recognise number words.