Emmaus Primary School

Church of England and Catholic Primary School

Travelling together with Jesus



Year 4

Termly Curriculum

Summer Term 1				
CORE SUBJECTS	Religious Education	New Life Explore-The wonder and power of the Holy Spirit Reveal-The children will learn about the new life of the Easter message and how it is spread through the power of the Holy Spirit. Respond-The children will celebrate and assimilate the above messages. Building Bridges Explore-The children will think about building bridges of friendship Reveal-The children will learn about the importance of admitting wrong and being reconciled with one another and God. Respond-The children will assimilate and celebrate the above messages.		
	English Reading	Issues and Dilemmas The children will read 'Mr Stink' by David Walliams. They will make predictions and explore possible courses of action using improvisation. The children will record the issues/ dilemmas faced by the main character(s) throughout the topic. The children will read a few shorter stories also. They will base their story on 'Living on Ice' by Pie Corbett. Plays The children will read and explore characteristics of playscripts related to one or more of previous narrative units. They will read and discuss a range of playscripts		
	English SPaG	and explore characters, issues and dilemmas. Grammar • possessive and plural s (including plural possession) • perfect tense • fronted adverbials • pronouns and possessive pronouns • inverted commas • apostrophes: contractions and possession Punctuation Use of inverted commas and other punctuation to indicate direct speech Apostrophes to mark plural possession Use of commas after fronted adverbials Spelling In this half term, the children will learn how to spell homophones, but also look at when and how to use each word.		

	English Writing	Issues and Dilemmas The children will write in role as a character from the story, advising the main character about what they should do. They will write the opening part of their stories and set the scene. They will produce a story with issues and dilemmas, applying all the learning from this block. They will base their story on 'Living on Ice' by Pie Corbett.
		Plays The children will improvise dialogue between key characters and use this as a basis for writing their own short play-scripts. They will write and perform their own playscript.
	Mathematics	 Interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts and time graphs. Solve comparison sum and difference problems using information presented in bar charts, pictograms, tables and other graphs. Solve number and practical problems. Estimate and use inverse operations to check answers to calculations. Solve addition and subtraction two-step problems in contexts. Solve problems involving multiplying and adding, including the distributive law to multiply two-digit numbers. Solve measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals. Solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes, minutes to seconds, years to months, weeks to days
	Science	 Electricity identify common appliances that run on electricity construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery recognise that a switch opens and closes a circuit and associate this with whether or not a lamp lights in a simple series circuit recognise some common conductors and insulators, and associate metals with being good conductors ensure that the children understand about electrical safety
FOUNDATION	History	Arabia Early Islam The children will: • look at Makkah, the sacred city of Arabia • Muhammad's early life • Life in the Arabian world, pre and post Muhammad • The history of Medina • Modern life in Makkah

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	Earthquakes The shill be also stopped to the stopp
	The children will look at:
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Geography	why earthquakes happen Andreas Coult
	specifically, the San Andreas fault
	how we measure earthquakes Some form the country of the co
	 how humans live with earthquakes and their effects Athletics
	The children will develop basic running, jumping and throwing techniques. They are
	set challenges for distance and time that involve using different styles and
	combinations of running, jumping and throwing. As in all athletic activities, pupils
Physical	think about how to achieve their greatest possible speed, height, distance or
Education	accuracy and learn how to persevere to achieve their personal best.
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	In this unit pupils are able to experience running for distance, sprinting, relay, long
	jump, vertical jump and javelin.
	Logo
	The children will:
	Week 1- Input simple instructions on Logo
Computing	Week 2- Use logo to create letters
	Week 3- Use the repeat function in logo to create shapes
	Week 4- Use the build feature in Logo
	<u>Landscapes</u>
	The children will look at the work of a variety of artists to create their own
	landscapes. The children will develop their skills and techniques through studying
	the following pieces of artwork:
	 'The Flora on the Heath' by Paul Klee - The focus will be on using various
	techniques of applying watercolour paint to create an abstract landscape.
	 Various sunset paintings - The children will build on session 1 and apply
	watercolour paint to create a sunset painting
	'Waterlilies' by Claude Monet - The children will create their own waterlilies
	painting with a focus on perspective
Art	'Aerial Perspective by Garrowby Hill' by David Hockney - The children will
	sketch a country landscape using wax crayons adding blocks of colours,
	developing the skill of making the colours stronger in the foreground as per aerial perspective paintings.
	 The landscape around the Albert Dock and in our local park
	 'Industrial Landscapes' by L.S. Lowry - The children will create an industrial
	landscape and develop their use of perspective.
	 'Sunday Afternoon on the Island of La Grande Jatte' by Georges Seuret - The
	children will create a landscape to demonstrate their learning throughout the
	whole topic about perspective and the application of watercolour. They will
	also learn about the technique of 'Pointillism'
	Whole Class Brass Tuition
	The children will:
	 Build on the skills in previous half terms and continue to play and perform on
AAveia	individual instruments-trumpets.
Music	 The children will learn to read notation
	 Appreciate music from history and different traditions
	 Develop interrelated skills in music such as pulse, rhythm,
	Recall from aural memory

		<u>Leisure</u>
		The children will learn the French for:
		• Sports
	Modern	 How to give opinions and simple justifications
	Foreign	 Saying their favourite sport (I do/I play)
	Languages	'Sophie the Sporty One' story
		The days and seasons
		 Numbers 1-69 (odds/evens, doubles/halves)
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		Spiritual Lesson
	5.05	The children will learn about love in scripture.
	RSE	The children will explore St Paul's teaching on love and make links to Religious
		Education lessons.
		Relationships
		The children will:
		Week 1-Recognise situations which can cause jealousy
		Week 2-Identify someone they love and express why they are special
		Week 3-Talk about someone they know that they no longer see
	PSHE	Week 4- Recognise how friendships change, know how to make new friends and how
		to manage when they fall out with friends
		Week 5-Understand about what having a boyfriend or girlfriend might mean and that
		is a special relationship for when they are older.
		Week 6-Know how to show love and appreciation to the people and animals who are
		special to them
		PGL residential
	Curriculum	Visits to the Albert Dock (follow up from the previous half term) and Croxteth Park
	Enrichment	