Curriculum Newsletter 2025-26

Term: Autumn 1 **Class: Fig**

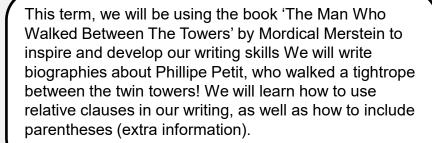


Being a Reader



We will read the book 'The Good Thieves' by Katherine Rundell. We will be focussing on a range of reading skills including asking questions and making predictions as we read the story. We will also be learning to find the meaning of words we come across using a dictionary. We will be making inferences using the text and justifying them using evidence in the text.

Being an Author



Being a Philosopher

In RE this term, we will look at Belief

into action, in particular, Sikhism

beliefs and practices - and asking

"how far will a Sikh go for his/her

religion?"

Being a Mathematician



This half-term we will be focussing on decimal fractions and money. The children will be learning to: identify, represent and count in tenths and hundredths, apply column addition to decimals and solve problems. Within money, we will explain and compare amounts of money, convert between pounds and pence and calculate change.

Being a Scientist



Our Science topic this half term is 'Living Things and Their Habitats' where we will be focussing on life cycles. We will understand the main processes in the lives of: plants, mammals, amphibians, birds and insects. We will also be able to explain the difference between sexual and asexual reproduction and research about famous naturalists.

Being an Athlete



In PE we will be developing our handball and

Being a Historian



We will be learning about the Ancient Mayan civilisation, exploring who the Mayans were, where they settled and how they were successful. We will investigate how city states were organised and their society and what beliefs they had including Mayan gods.

Being an Artist



In Art and Design, we will be learning to improve our mastery of drawing, focusing on line, form, texture and tone using Galilei and Merian as inspiration.

Being a Citizen



In PSHE, we will be following the PHSE programme of study where the children begin by learning about 'How can friends communicate safely?'

golf skills.

Being a Linguist



This half term we will be learning about how to talk about ourselves and where we live. The children will learn how to say different rooms in the home and put these into sentences and phrases.

Being a Musician 🚓



We will be learning about melody and harmony in music using our voices and instruments'.

Being a Computer Scientist



Our unit this term is 'Creating Media -Video Editing'. We will learn how to create short videos. We will develop the skills of capturing, editing, and manipulating video and will investigate the use of devices and software.