English

The children will be reading the book 'Street Child' by Berlie Doherty

Throughout this half term the children will be working towards writing a formal persuasive letter. They will be learning to present a single point of view designed to encourage or warn the reader about the chosen topic. A particular benefit of working on this text-type is that it raises critical awareness of how language can be used to manipulate our thoughts, feelings and actions.

Maths

During this half term the children will be learning about multiplication, division, graphs and fractions.

The children will be learning how to multiply and divide by 6, 7, 9, 11, 12 and sometimes with remainders. They will begin to understand mathematical vocabulary such as 'quotient' in relation to division. They will learn how to calculate multiplication equations using the multiplication facts that they know.

Science

What do our bodies do with the food we eat?

By the end of this unit, they will know:

- the process of the digestive system including the teeth.
- Humans have four types of teeth: incisors for cutting; canines for tearing; and molars and premolars for grinding (chewing).

<u>Art</u>

<u>Cubism</u>

Big question: How did the Cubists show 3 dimensions?

Key Skills

Identify Cubist artists.

Use sketching pencils to draw well-proportioned objects

Blend oil pastels in a restricted range of colours.

Layer drawings to make new compositions Talk confidently and identify characteristics of a Cubist Still life.

Year 4

Spring I - Learning Map



R.E.

Is it better to be rich or kind?

Charity, afterlife, karma

Different religious interpretations of kindness as well as good and evil. **Buddhism**. The story of Buddha.

Geography

Where is the best place to live in the UK?

The United Kingdom is 'one country' but has a variety of geographical features.

National parks, rivers, areas of outstanding national beauty, counties, landmarks, employment and culture

PSHE

January's Question What does private mean? Responsibility

February's Question What should I do when I make a mistake?

Perseverance

Making mistakes is something that we all do. The important thing is that we take responsibility for our mistakes and learn from them.

PE

Badminton

Is a net/wall game. The aim of the game is to make it difficult for the opponent to return it.

Skills- badminton requires quick movement, good co-ordination, and strategy.

Dance

External teacher from The Garage teaching Victorian style dance inspired by the Victorian Era.