

Termly Overview

Term: Spring 2024

Class: Dreigiau

Teacher: Miss Beesley

Catholic Virtues

This term we will be trying to be ***Compassionate, Loving, Faith-filled*** and ***Hopeful*** learners.

RE topics for this term:

Galilee to Jerusalem: - In this topic we will be developing our understanding of:

- The story of The Presentation of the Lord
- How people celebrate Candlemas
- How Jesus is a 'light' for all people, and consider how they can bring 'light' to their families and communities.
- Zacchaeus' story

Desert to garden- In this topic we will be developing our understanding of:

- Jesus' time in the desert
- How Lent is a special time for praying, fasting and helping others
- The events of the last week of Jesus' life (The Last Supper and The Crucifixion and death of Jesus)
- How Jesus died and rose again

Weekly Reminders

In addition to using Reading Eggs/Express, pupils have school reading books to take home which can be changed once week. Please encourage your child to read at home.

Please provide your child with a drink bottle daily. Fruit can be brought into school, or school will provide fruit daily for a cost of £1 per week.

Monday: £1 fruit money.

Tuesday: Homework to be returned. Library books to be returned.

Wednesday: Our P.E. day. All pupils must bring a kit to school. Please return Oxford Tree reading books and signed reading records.

Thursday: Forest School Afternoon. Pupils will need to wear a coat and wellies in our sessions.

Friday: Spelling test day, also homework and news spellings are given out.

Reading books, spellings and homework

Regular reading, spelling and tables practise at home has a great impact on children's progress.

Activities will be sent home which link directly to what the children are learning in school and supports their work in class. Please make every effort to support them and to complete the tasks set.



- Jolly Phonics sounds and blends
- Word building
- Pencil control activities
- Treehouse Tales
- Class novel - Zog
- Guided Reading
- Reading Eggs

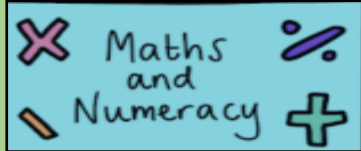


Year 1/2

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The Power of Water



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- Addition and subtraction within 10 and 20.
- Counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.
- Fractions.

How is water powerful?

This topic will help pupils to understand that being curious and searching for answers is essential to understanding and predicting phenomena. Curiosity about science and technology leads us to ask questions about the world around us. By being encouraged to use logic, evidence and creativity, learners will be supported to inquire into and apply scientific knowledge to further understanding of how our world works.

- We will learn that water is powerful and has the power to destroy and move things.
- We will learn about the water we can find in our local area.
- We will learn about the properties of materials.
- We will predict and investigate suitable materials.
- We will learn that water keeps our bodies healthy.
- We will design a label to promote drinking water.