

Year 2 2017

TERM 4 OVERVIEW

Overarching theme: Christmas/Advent

Other: Dr Seuss

Religion

Gathered Together (Church)

This unit focuses on the importance of our families and how Jesus started a larger family, the Church.

Truth of the Gospels (Bible – Advent/Christmas)

This unit focuses on the many gifts that God has given us, particularly the gift of learning. This is linked with how Jesus taught and continues to teach us lessons through the Bible. A focus will also be put on Advent.

English

Reading

Targeted Guided Reading

Poetry (Dr. Seuss)

Persuasive Texts

Comprehension

- Retelling the main idea
- Inferring and predicting

Spelling

Diana Rigg Spelling Program

Writing

Persuasive Texts

Editing

Punctuation

- Revise all learnt punctuation

Parts of speech/Grammar

- Three types of nouns (proper, pronoun, common)
- Adjectives
- Articles
- Revision

Mathematics

Number

Money

Patterns (link to coding)

Measurement and Geometry

Using a calendar

Flip, turns and slides

Mental Strategies

Estimation and rounding

Using learnt strategies to solve addition, subtraction and multiplication problems

Statistics and Probability

Chance

HASS

History

History of a significant person or site

Health

Highway Heroes - The Secrets of Staying Power and Grit (The Learning Highway)

Cyber Safety

Technology and Enterprise

Coding and computational thinking

Exploring and using different types of technological hardware (computers, iPads, Bee Bots)

Design, create and evaluate (Project Based Learning)

Visual Art

Creating artwork to communicate ideas

Using different elements and techniques to create artwork

Specialist Subjects: Italian, Music, Science, Sport and Edu Dance