

English

This term we will be using 'The Land of Neverbelieve' by Norman Messenger as our key text. We will be immersing the children in a variety of activities throughout the term. This will include making models of the island to form a 3D map and a visit from 'Zoolab'.

The children will be writing a travel log about their journey on the island as well as a fact file about their own imaginary animal.

We will be writing letters to try and persuade the local supermarket to stock some of the unusual or strange shaped vegetables grown on the island.

Moving on from this, the children will be writing a story based on an adventure on the island.

We will also be looking at writing explanations in science about how the digestive system works.

Maths

We will be consolidating our understanding of number. We will revisit place value in the context of decimal numbers and fractions.

We will be supporting our learning of multiplication and division using concrete resources such as place value counters when multiplying by 10 and 100. We will also look at formal written methods for recording multiplication calculations. All of these areas will be extended into problem solving and investigating.

Science

This term we will be looking at all living things by classifying and grouping animals. We will be exploring food webs and food chains. We will also be looking at the structure and function of human and other animals' teeth. We will learn about the digestive system and link this learning to our non-fiction writing.

French

The children will be reading words previously learnt and consolidating their understanding of weather.

Computing

We will be using code.org to learn how to programme and move objects on the screen.

The program allows the children to work through a series of lessons to build up their skills of coding.

We will also use the computers to research information to help us to make our animal fact files.

The Land of Neverbelieve

PSHCE

We will be exploring setting and achieving goals. We will also look at how we celebrate our strengths.

DT

The children will design and make a sock monster depicting a strange creature from 'The Land of Neverbelieve'. They will use various joining techniques in the process. They will then learn about pneumatics and will be able to choose an object or creature to animate using these skills.

RE

This term we will be exploring how Christians remember and celebrate the Easter story/tradition.

Geography

We will be describing and understanding key aspects of human geography, including types of settlement and land use and the distribution of natural resources such as energy, food, minerals and water.

PE

Indoor PE will be dance based around 'Carnival of the Animals' by Saint Saens.

Outdoor PE will look at the skills for tennis. 4M and 4G will be swimming.

Music

We will be using 'Lost and Found Orchestra' to create a musical performance linked to science and creating a sound walk around the school grounds using metal objects.