

Creative (Art, DT, Music, Dance)

DT

This half term, children will be creating bridges. Children will explore a range of bridges, design their own and evaluate it.

Music

In music, your child will be exploring and singing a range of Rock anthems including:

- We Will Rock You by Queen
- Smoke On The Water by Deep Purple
- Rockin' All Over The World by Status Quo

Humanities (History, Geography)

Geography

This term, Durham Castle Class will be looking Biomes. Biomes are areas of our planet with similar climates, landscapes, animals and plants. Children will be learning about what lives in the different biomes and why some animals live in different biomes. The children will be focusing on

- Tundra
- Taiga
- Temperate Deciduous Forest
- Chaparral

Science

Earth and Space

This term children will describe the movement of the Earth, and other planets, relative to the Sun in the solar system. They will look at the Moon and describe its movements. They will discuss and investigate why we get day and night.

PE

Games

This half term, children from Durham Castle Class will be improving and developing skills to allow children to play a game of tag rugby.

Gymnastics

Children will use a range in isolation and combination, linking them to make sequences of movement. They will develop flexibility, strength, technique and control and balance.

Computing

In this term, children will explore the importance of E-Safety looking specifically at passwords and online communication.

MFL

In Spanish, children will learn numbers 0-10, greetings and classroom instructions.

Autumn 2

Books/resources/films/music/visits/visitors/role play etc

This term, your child will be celebrating Children in Need. As part of this, children will take part in Evenwood's Got Talent. Children will also take part in activities relating to Anti-bullying week. Children will be reading a Christmas Carol and Lost in Shangri-la.

English

This term, we are going to be writing across a range of genres including diary recounts, journalistic writing, extended narrative and persuasive letters. We will be concentrating on adding key vocabulary and grammar in our writing.

Basic Skills

Children will be consolidating conjunctions, word types and sentence types.

Reading

This term, we will be reading a range of fiction and non-fiction texts. We will use these texts to answer a range of retrieval, inference and vocabulary questions.

RE

This term we will be looking at the four gospels and what children learn about the birth of Christ from what the gospels say.

Maths

Mental

There will be a focus on consolidating our multiplication, division, addition and subtraction knowledge through a range of activities.

Main

We will be looking at fractions, including adding and subtracting fractions, multiplying fractions and solving problems involving fractions. The children will then look at converting units of measure including time and they will then deepen their understanding of factors, prime numbers and square numbers.

Websites

Times Table Rockstars - <https://trockstars.com/>
www.mathletics.co.uk

Related UNCRC Articles

Article 15 - Children have the right to meet with other children and young people and to join groups and organisations, as long as this does not stop other people from enjoying their rights.