



Curriculum Overview

Welcome back! This half term our No Limits assignment is '**TIME COP: HISTORICAL DETECTIVES**', which links to our Aspirations focus 'Heroes'. As part of our new No Limits assignment, we will be immersing ourselves in Ancient Greek and Roman history and seeing how their achievements have influenced the western world!
Specialism days will continue every other week where children will learn Spanish, PE, Life Skills and Music.

English	Maths	No Limits
<p>The children will complete a range of writing tasks within two forms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Narrative - based on character descriptions - (Writing to Entertain) -Newspaper recounts (Writing to inform) <p>The children will also undertake a range of SPaG and reading activities related specifically to the skills they need to complete their learning journeys.</p>	<p>We will cover a range of strategies and skills across the curriculum; the following areas will be examined this half-term:</p> <p>Unit 5: Securing multiplication facts- We will be exploring patterns within and between multiplication tables. We will use a variety of models to explore relationships and patterns across multiplication tables, making connections within and between these multiplication tables.</p> <p>Unit 6: Fractions - We will be interpreting fractions in different ways, and understanding mixed number and improper fractions. We will also add and subtract fractions and apply our fraction knowledge to reasoning problems.</p> <p>Unit 7: Time - We will be re-capping our knowledge of reading, writing and solving problems using the 12 and 24 hour clock.</p> <p>The children will also be working on their arithmetic skills on a daily basis.</p>	<p>Our new No Limits Assignment is titled:</p> <p>TIMECOP: HISTORICAL DETECTIVES'</p> <p><u>Our driving question is:</u> Do we, as historians, think that the Greeks and Romans had a positive impact on our lives?</p> <p>Our Time Cop assignment will take us on a journey through ancient Greek and Roman history and culture. We will be learning about significant events, people and achievements and seeing how each period influenced the western world.</p> <p>Our History-focused assignment will culminate in an exciting project where the children will create their own newspapers!</p> <p>We will drive our learning and our enquiry with two questions: Who were the significant people? Why does it matter to us?</p>
<p>Class Novel</p> <p>We will be reading 'Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief' by Rick Riordan.</p>		
<p>Computing</p> <p>This half term's focus in Computing is Information Technology.</p> <p>We will discuss how to research effectively; creating effective blogs and presenting to an audience.</p>	<p>Wellness</p> <p><u>Helping others to keep safe (INTELLECTUAL WELLNESS)</u></p> <p>We will be understanding when to seek emergency help, how to ask for emergency help, basic actions to take in emergency situations and how to undertake basic first aid.</p>	<p>PE</p> <p>This half term's PE foci are: DANCE, NETBALL AND FITNESS</p> <p>We will let you know which days children will need to wear PE kits into school each week on the weekly email.</p>

Homework

Compulsory weekly homework will include:

Reading: Your child should be reading 15 minutes an evening using their Accelerated Reader book from the school library.

SPaG, Maths and Reading: Children will receive weekly homework on Google classroom which needs to be handed in.

TTRS and SumDog: Your child can use these online platforms to practise their skills in Reading, Maths, SPaG and Times Tables.

Enrichment Homework: Please see enrichment homework poster for details.

Children who do not complete the compulsory homework will attend lunchtime homework club to allow them to catch up.

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