

This Term's News

In History, we will take part in a chocolate tasting Spark Day to introduce the children to our Sweet Treats topic.

“Ecuador Day” where the children can come to school wearing blue, red and yellow clothes will take place in Autumn 2, so stay tuned for the dates.

Keep an eye out for news of exciting events throughout the term!

Curriculum News

This term, our topic is ‘Sweet Treats’. Within this topic there will be a focus on the book Charlie and the Chocolate Factory and the history of the chocolate industry.

Please follow our exciting adventure on Facebook/Twitter.

As Geographers we will:

Study a South American country (Ecuador) and find out about its physical and human geography. We will find out about how and where cocoa beans are grown. We will compare Hull to a city in Ecuador.

As Scientists we will:

We will look at healthy diets and the Eat Well plate. We will look at the different food groups and the nutrients that they provide us. We will identify the main animal groups and how some animals have skeletons for support, protection and movement,

As Authors and Readers we will:

Write character descriptions inspired by our class text ‘Charlie and the Chocolate Factory’. We will then write a discussion text and a set of instructions.

We will continue to develop our skills in reading comprehension. We will also be developing our inference skills.

As Historians we will:

Investigate the timeline of Needlers, a local firm, and the products they made. We will look at how the company affected local lives.

As Musicians we will:

Learn an R&B song “Let Your Spirit Fly” to explore the dimensions of music. We will begin to learn the duration of a wider range of notes and use them to play instruments.

As Artists and Designers we will:

Design, develop and evaluate a collage inspired by the work of Andy Warhol and pop art. We will then explore chocolate in its different states and then design and make our own chocolate fridge cake.

In RE we will:

Look at the belief of worship and how this occurs in a variety of religions but with specific links to the Christian faith.

Through PE we will:

PE will be taught inside on a Wednesday or Thursday. Please ensure that all jewellery is removed or covered.

We will continue to develop and improve balance, agility and co-ordination during gymnastic sessions. We will perform short routines to music.

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As Mathematicians we will:

Look at place value, identifying the value of each digit in a 3 digit number. This will develop into ordering and comparing those numbers. Developing our understanding the number system and how to use numbers is a focus that will be applied through addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.