



Year Group: 5 and 6 Term: Autumn 1 Teachers: Mrs Meadows, Mrs Campbell and Miss Littlefield

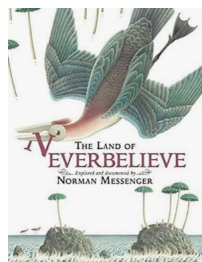
Literacy

Writing:

The wonderful book, 'The Land of Neverbelieve' will provide opportunities for the children to focus on the fundamentals of writing. They will write a setting description, an informal diary entry and a formal letter, focussing on the grammatical skills needed to write cohesively, as well as awareness for audience and purpose.

Reading:

The children will read within a group every week and homework will be given on a weekly basis.



It's Our World



Art: Typography and Maps

The children will research and explore ideas of typography and map making in art form.



Identity

Children are introduced to artists who explore their identity by creating imagery using different aspects within one image by using layers and juxtaposition. Children will work physically in drawing and collage to make their own layered and constructed portrait.

French: In France

The children will learn about France, such as places, landmarks and food.



Geography: Coasts

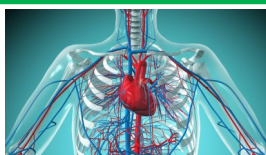
This unit builds on children's knowledge of physical processes such as rivers and weathering by focusing on how the coastline is shaped and reshaped over time. It supports children to apply map skills and understand how people interact with changing environments. Erosion, defence strategies, tourism and ecosystems will be explored and the children will begin to consider how climate change and human decisions affect coastal places.

The children will conduct a field trip to the coast to support their learning.



Science: Staying Alive

Children will be exploring the circulatory system; they will be able to identify and name the main parts whilst also being able to describe the functions of the heart, blood vessels and blood. They will be taught to recognise the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way that their bodies function. Children will be able to describe the ways in which nutrients and water are transported within animals, including humans.



Maths: Place value and the four operations.

The focus will be on securing knowledge of place value in numbers up to 10 million, as well as using mental and formal written methods to add, subtract, multiply and divide.

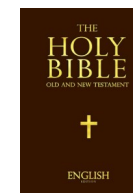
Computing: Literacy & Safety

Covering a wide range of topics including well-being, privacy and security, online identity, relationships, communication and the media.

PSHE: Safety and the Law

RE: Christianity—what do we know?

The children will understand how belief in the teachings of Jesus shapes a Christian's life and their role in society. They will understand what Christians believe about the Bible.



Literacy: sentence (simple, compound, complex), clause (main, subordinate, relative), noun, verb, adjective, preposition and determiner. **Science:** heart, chamber, valve, artery, vein, circulatory, immune, cell, oxygen, water, nutrient and function. **Computing:** safety, online, communication, privacy, responsibility. **RE:** Christian values, Good Samaritan, crucifixion, forgiveness, service, compassion, faith, perseverance.