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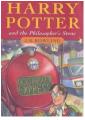
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History:

We will be looking at Edward Jenner, the inventor of the first vaccine. We will observe the change, cause and significance of his discovery for our country and compare its effectiveness of medicine our country used prior. We will investigate why prior to his discovery people believed certain cures would help the sick, such as the magical power of the digestive biscuit. All of this we will compare to what we do now if we are sick and how Edward Jenner's discovery has changed our country through history.

English:

We will be starting the half term by reading Harry Potter and the Philosipher's stone. We will be focusing on Character descriptions, Newspaper articles and retelling part of the story.



We will also be looking at World War Poems during our themed WW1 week, we will be choosing our favourite to perform and turn into shape poems.

We will be ending the half term looking at the Polar Express and the magic it brings at Christmas.

Enrichment:

Year 3 will be taking part in 'Scoot Safe' where the children will learn how to ride their scooters safely following the rules of the road.

WW1 week - At St Michaels we feel it is important to remember and honour our past, so during this half term the children will be taking part in a WW1 week full of exciting learning opportunities. We will be taking part in a workshop looking at the life of a WW1 soldier, taking 1920's dance lessons and lots more exciting opportunities.

All enterprise children will be invited to visit the Theatre to watch the Pantomime! Look out for the letter home!

<u>Christian Value -</u>

R.E – Christmas. God with us.

Computing:

We will be looking at online safety, how to stay safe online, and the power of fake news and how to spot it.

<u>Science:</u>

This half term we are investigating our skeletons. We will be looking at what bones make up our bodies, how they grow in proportion and what job each bone has. We will be comparing our skeletons to the skeletons of other animals as well as learning how our muscles help our skeleton to move.

We will also be looking at light and shadows! We will learn what is light and dark, and the difference between a light sources and a light reflector. We will learn what a shadow is and how to shadows change. There will be a focus on the danger of light especially sunlight.

Scientific vocabulary we will be focusing on: Transparent, translucent, opaque.

PSHE: SCARF -Valuing difference

<u>Art:</u>

In art we will be looking at how the imagery of skulls have been used throughout history in art. We will be looking at the work of Damien Hirst to help us design, develop and create a repeated printing pattern around the theme of skulls.

<u>PE:</u>

Daily run

Thursday led by coaches from South Ribble Sport's Partnership