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Geography:

This half term we will be looking at the place where we live. We will be studying the local surrounding area and focusing on what has been built and what is natural in it. We will also be linking this to what the children do outside of school - Where do they visit? What do they do there? We will then use these places and locate them on a map.

Christian Value - Thankfulness R.E.- In our R.E lessons this term, we will be looking at Harvest.

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Maths:

This half term we will focus on comparing objects, comparing quantities, using symbols and introducing the part/whole concept and model. We will continue our daily fluency frenzy building on the skills learnt in Reception. We continue to ensure that the children learn to use practical apparatus 'manipulatives.'

English:

In English, we will be looking at stories in the Katie Morag series - focusing on stories by the same author. Our first unit of study will be looking at developing the use of questions words and learning to write our own short story based on Katie Morag delivers the mail. We will also be building on our knowledge of Non-Chronological reports linked to the local area. Also, we will be using the place where we live to write a short poem.

History.

During our history topic this half term, we will be looking at where we live and where we go to school. We will discuss how these places may have changed over time and become 'time detectives' who use maps, photographs, pictures and digital maps to look for evidence. We will ask questions about what it was like to live in our area a long time ago and look at how our school playground may have changed. We will come to school dressed as children from the Victorian era and live a school day as they would have done; playing games that they would have played and talking about how our school has changed.

Art and Design.

This half term we will be exploring the work of artists, craftspeople and designers from different times. We will use a variety of materials for printing and use our drawings to develop a simplified printing motif of school or our local area.

Science - We will be looking at what happens in Autumn and starting our Nature Journal. We will also be looking at the weather and learning about seasonal changes.

Enrichment:

As part of our history topic we will be coming to school dressed as children from the Victorian era. We will look at how our school may have been different all those years ago. We will also enjoy playing games from the 'olden days' and comparing them to the games we play today utilising our fab new playground markings

PSHE- We will be looking at families and friendships focussing on 'who are special people?'; 'same or different'; 'surprises and secrets'; and 'good or bad touches.'

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