



Dear Parents and Carers,

This half term our main topic is **'Time travellers' incorporating the Victorians and The Industrial Revolution**. Where possible, all of your child's learning will be linked to this theme. This curriculum overview gives an outline of the areas of learning we intend to cover in the second part of the Spring Term (Feb-March). A copy of this document can also be found on our website. **PE lessons** continue to take place on a **Friday**. Homework will be set every Monday on MS Teams and other websites such as MyMaths or Purple Mash. Thank you.

Mrs Leakey and Ms Thompson – Class Teachers

MATHS

This term, the class will be learning a variety of mathematical skills and knowledge including:

- **Calculation - which includes division, multiplication and fractions.**
 - **Geometry** - working on angles and shapes
 - **Algebra, Ratio and proportion**
 - **Statistics** (data handling and graphs)
 - **Measurement**, including length, mass, area etc
 - **Fractions** (including decimals, and percentages)
- Consolidating understanding of all topics.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

In RE we will be learning about **Jesus the Messiah**. We will be learning about who Jesus is and why he is called the 'Messiah'.



As we approach Easter we will reflect on this important time in the Christian calendar and look at each day of Holy Week in depth.

SCIENCE

Light

In this topic we will be looking at light. We will be learning about how light travels, what is a reflection and how people see.

We will be building our understanding of white light and how it is made up of the different colours. We will be doing investigation to show this.

HISTORY / GEOGRAPHY

Our topic this half term is **'Victorian Era and the Impact of the Industrial Revolution in Britain and the World'**. We will be looking at the causes and effects of the Revolution on society . Also the resulting changes in society.

Year 6
Victorians
Spring Term 2

Studying and comparing how the Victorians lived in relation to their lifestyles, education and work.



MUSIC

Medieval Music

Our music lessons this half term will include learning about authentic instruments and their use; Exploring plainchant as a style of music and form of notation; composing simple melodies of around 5 notes; recognise different forms of notation including neumes as a precursor to staff notation serves different purposes.

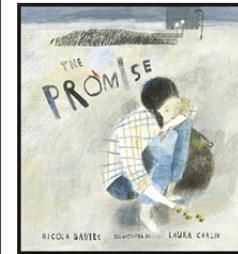
PHSE

Mind up—developing our skills and our understanding how our brain works. Looking at strategies to help our manage our emotions .
Lifesavers—Understanding about taxes on our earnings.

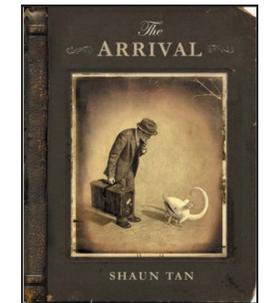
COMPUTING

This unit introduces children to text-based coding through the use of Python . Children will learn some of the key language rules for Python.

WRITING AND READING



The Promise by **Nicola Davis**. This book links to our topic . We will write formal letters, diary entries and a newspaper report.



The Arrival by **Shaun Tan** - Our writing will be Letters, list of rules, character descriptions, diaries, short play scripts, short report and guides.

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

Food

How can we prepare and cook a meal fit for Queen Victoria?

Skills and knowledge we will be using are understand and apply the principles of a healthy and varied diet. Planning to cook a variety of predominantly savoury dishes using a range of techniques, understand seasonality, and know where and how a variety of ingredients are grown, reared, caught and processed, food safety and hygiene.

SPORTS AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

MULTI ABILITY FOCUS

Physical skills

Transferring skills consistently in challenging situations

Social Skills

Working sensibly, praise and encourage others.