Maths

At St Mary's, we follow the White Rose curriculum. During the term, will be covering:

- Place Value
- Addition and Subtraction
- Statistics
- Multiplication and Division

We will also regularly practice arithmetic and times tables.

Literacu

Throughout the term, we will split our lessons into:

- Reading Comprehension Skills
- Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar
- Writing
- Drama

We will link our lessons as much as possible to our topic and will be reading a class novel.

Science

During Autumn term, we will cover the following topics:

- Working Scientifically (carrying out a range of scientific experiments)
- Forces

Autumn Term 2022: Road Trip USA

Properties of Materials

The term will involve learning how to record data correctly and write up scientific experiments including: discussing methods, a hypothesis and conclusions made.

Religious Education

As well as engaging in regular Collective Worship sessions and reflections, we will cover the following:

- How did Jesus' teaching challenge people?
- What it means to be a Sikh?
- Why light is an important sign at Christmas and how Christmas is celebrated in different countries?

There will also be regular activities to complete in our classroom prayer area.

Art

Throughout our art lessons, we practise a range of skills using a range of different materials. We will focus on:

- North American Artists
- Graffiti Focus

Tennis

Rugby

Football

sports:

Landscapes around America

Mrs Wright will cover the following

Physical Education Outdoors

Computing

During Y5, we use Purple Mash to embed our curriculum. We will cover:

- E-Safetu
- Microsoft PowerPoint
- Coding Part 1
- Homework Activities Online

PSHCE (Personal, Social, Health, Community and Education)

Throughout the year, we like to be open with the topics we cover based around the year's activities.

on New Beginnings, Being Me in My World and Celebrating Differences.

Design and Technology

We will hopefully be using this term to bake and cook a range of delicious foods for our Thanksgiving Day celebrations.

There will be building and construction challenges throughout our topic this Autumn.

However, we use the JIGSAW scheme to cover sessions

Topic

This term we are going to squeeze in as many subject areas as possible. Here are a few:

- The 50 states and 6 regions
- Different landscapes
- National Parks
- Natural Phenomena
- European Settlement
- The Wild West
- Fast Food and Culture
- Slavery

We will be also going on a school trip to Legoland to link with this topic.

Phusical Education Indoors

We will begin the term with some team games to welcome back to school. Then we will split the term into: Gymnastics and Dancing

French

We will be following the Y5 scheme on Language Angels by learning songs and working through role-play activities.

Music

We are delighted to welcome experienced music teacher, Mr Godwin, to the school and he will be preparing the two year 5 classes for an appearance at the Young Voice event at the O2 in January 2023. Our children will join a 7,000 strong choir at this fantastic event!







Starfish Malawi Link This term our linking theme is, 'Trash 'n' Trees'. We will use this time to investigate local trees in our area and compare with those in Malawi. As well as this, we will look at the impact of deforestation on third world countries in comparison with our own. Year 5 will also be looking at the impact of litter on the environment and what we can do to help.

