

Literacy... This term we will be looking at information books and the children will create their own information page about a castle or knights. We will then look at the story of George and The Dragon to explore fantasy stories and descriptive writing. The children will write their own version of this popular story. Exploring rhyme and pattern, the children will read and write a poem about Knights.



Maths... The children will be consolidating our understanding of multiplication and division using a range of methods. Counting coins, understanding money and giving change will be developed within Year 2. The children will build upon their understanding of fractions of number and shapes. We will also be looking at scales within different areas of measuring equipment.

Art and DT...

We will be looking at historical art work such as family coats of arms. The children will design and make their own coat of arms. In DT we will look at the food from the medieval period and compare it to the food we eat today. The children will be able to design menus that would have been eaten at a medieval banquet and we will be trying our hand at making some using medieval recipes.



RE...

This term we will look at Islam and the period of Ramadan. We will look at the Hajj and the idea of going on pilgrimage.

ICT...

In ICT the children will become online researchers and explore information pages about Knights and Castles. They will have the opportunity to understand search engines and build confidence with keyboard skills.

Knights and Castles

P.E...

As it is the summer term, the focus for PE sessions will be on athletics and sports day preparations.

We will also play a team game, which will follow the theme of a battle.



Topic...

In topic sessions, we will explore the Norman Invasion and the arrival of William the Conqueror. We will study famous battles from this era and hold a re-enactment. The children will gain understanding of the first castles, their features and develop understanding of their locations. We will study the different styles of castles as well as how to attack and defend them. We will also learn a song called Norman Style in the style of Gangnam Style.

Science...

This term science learning will carry on in the Woodlands through hands on experiences, play and explorations.

There will be key focuses of growing and caring for plants as well as exploring the changes in the seasons.



Additional Information...

- Please make sure your child changes their reading book during Early Bird.
- PE - Children will need to keep their P.E. kit in school every day.
- P.E Kits: Shorts and trousers, t-shirt and jumper in school colours with trainers for outdoor use. Please name ALL items of clothes.
- Woodland dates are on the school website.
- Please ensure that your child has a named sunhat and water bottle in school every day and is wearing sun-cream.
- Sports Day Wednesday 27th June @ 9.30-11.30am
- STEM Day – 7th June
- Warwick Castle- 14th June
- 12th and 13th June- class photos
- 17th July- Transfer Morning
- 23rd July Zone day