Kestrels and Owls

Autumn Term 1

Theme Overviews - 'Inter-Nation Media Station' and 'The Visionary'.

'Inter-Nation Media Station' is a thematic unit all about media and broadcasting. There is a key subject focus on history, through which pupils will learn about early methods of communication, leading to the invention of both the television and the radio. Pupils will develop confidence in oracy, through opportunities to work on their own broadcasts. 'The Visionary' is a competency based thematic unit with a history focus, telling the inspirational story of Ada Lovelace. She is famous for her invention and developments in the field of technology and became known as the first computer programmer.

English

We use Jane Constantine units.

We are exploring poetry using a poem by Eloise Greenfield, 'When I Am By Myself'. We will move onto non fiction, using a book entitled, 'Seasons' by Hannah Pang.

<u>Science</u>

We will begin to explore the season of autumn.

Maths

We use White Rose mixed year planning.

We will be working on Place Value within 20, followed by Addition and Subtraction within 20.

We also follow the NCETM programme for Mastering Numbers.

The NCETM Mastering Number program (or Mastering Number) is a national program run by the NCETM and Maths Hubs to build "good number sense" for primary school children from Reception to Year 2. The program provides daily, short, teacher-led sessions using specific resources to develop children's fluency, confidence, and flexibility with numbers, ensuring they have a deep and secure understanding of number composition and relationships.

<u>History</u>

Using the work of Ada Lovelace, we will be using different sources to find out about the past and identifying differences between the and the present.

<u>PSHE</u>

We will be exploring 'Fact and Opinion'. We will be debating and discussing E safety.

<u>Art</u>

We will be using and exploring mixed media.

Music

We will experiment with, create, select and combine sounds.

Drama

We will be using role play to set up a TV studio.

<u>PE</u>

We will be covering gymnastics and cricket.

<u>RE</u>

We will explore the question 'Who is Muslim and how do they live?'