



Helping all children
to become **caring,**
confident and
curious young

Volcanoes



Stone Age,

Bronze Age, Iron



Age



Our value this term

Respect

Our vision

Be the best you can be; together we grow from
acorns to oaks, flourishing in God's love.

English

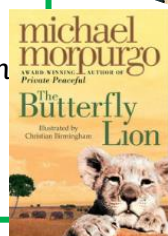
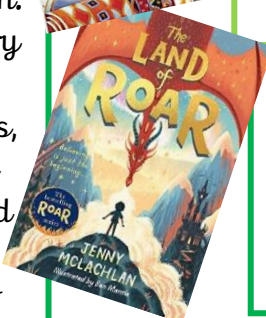
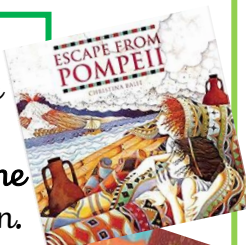
Our focus texts for this term are

Escape from

Pompeii by Christina Balit and The
Land of Roar by Jenny McLachlan.

We will write poems, letters, diary
entries, newspaper reports,
character and setting descriptions,
narratives and instructions. We
will learn how to use similes and
fronted adverbials and we will
start to use inverted commas to
introduced speech.

Our guided reading text this term
will be **The Butterfly Lion** by
Michael Morpurgo.



Our focus times tables this term will be 2's, 5's, 10's, 3's and 4's.

Maths

We will begin this term by learning about **place value** where we will read and write numbers
to 1000, learn to partition them in different ways as well as compare and order them. We
will then move on to addition and subtraction where we will learn to add and subtract three-
digit numbers mentally and using the formal written method, and estimate answers, using
the inverse operations to check. Finally, we will move to multiplication and division where
we will learn methods to solve multiplication and division problem, and learn how to
complete scaling problems.

Science

Our focus this term will be **animals including humans**. We will learn about our skeleton
and muscles and the roles of these, as well as the vitamins and nutrients we need to be
heathy. We will then move on to **forces and magnets**, exploring different types of
magnets and their uses in everyday life.

History

As historians this term, we will be exploring the question '**Would you rather live in the
Stone Age, Iron Age or Bronze Age**. We will learn about what life was like in each of these
periods, and create comparisons between them.

PSHE

This term we will be learning about
ourselves and our relationships, and
valuing difference between ourselves and
our peers.

Geography

We will be using our skills as geographers this term to answer the question '**Why do
people live near volcanoes?**' We will be learning about the benefits and the risks of
volcanoes, where and how they are formed, and what makes them erupt.

ICT

Our first unit for ICT will be E-safety where
we will learn about how to stay safe online,
and what we should do if we are worried
about something. We will then study
coding, where we will learn how to create,
debug and test code in order to design and
make our own interactive screen.

PE

We will begin this term with developing our fundamental skills for PE (running,
jumping, kicking, throwing catching and coordination. We will then move on to
study net and wall games (netball, tennis, badminton).

PE kits will be needed every Friday

Art

We will be learning about shading and
different drawing techniques and how
to use these to create botanical inspired
drawings.



DT

We will be learning about and identifying
the key features of a castle, before designing
and making our own castle.



RE

During the first part of the term, we will be
exploring the question 'What do Christians
learn from the creation story?'

In the second half of the term, we will be
thinking about the question 'What kind of
world did Jesus want?'

Music

This term will begin with Ukulele sessions.

For the second part of the term, our learning
will be focused around three songs; Love
What We Do', 'When the Saints Go Marchin'
In' and 'My Bonnie Lies Over The Ocean'.
We will explore the social question: What
stories does music tells us about the past?

French

This term We will be learning how to greet
someone and ask how they are in French, as
well as preform a short French rhyme.

We will then be learning about cognates,
practising our language skills and developing
confidence through games and creating
animal and Christmas artworks inspired by
the cut-outs of French artist, Henri Matisse.

Homework

Homework and spellings will be given on
Fridays, to be complete by the following
week. This will be set on Purple Mash.
Math's homework will be Times Table
Rockstars. There will be a spelling test
every Friday.

Pupils should read at home **at least three
times every week**.