

ENGLISH

Reading focus text – The Suitcase Kid by
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Core Curriculum



Myths and Legends (3 Weeks)

During this topic, we will be reading and analyzing myths and legends from across the world. This will help us to plan and write their own version of a myth or legend, weaving description and dialogue into our writing to tell the story.



Persuasive Texts (2 Weeks)

During this topic, we will be looking at how texts, including adverts, are written to persuade people to do something, think something or even buy something. We will produce some persuasive texts of our own.



Class 6 Summer Term 1

GEOGRAPHY

Climate Zones



In Geography this half term, we will explore the effect of latitude on climate, learning about the climate zones and where they are located across the world. We will find out about the typical weather patterns found in each.

SCIENCE

Animals including Humans – Skeletons



In Science this half term, we will be investigating how our skeleton and muscles allow us to move. We will be looking at some key questions concerning the functions of muscles and skeletons as well as following a scientific line of enquiry by setting up an investigation linked to the topic and ensuring it follows the rules of fair testing and changing variables to ensure scientific accuracy.



MATHS

Decimals

Compare numbers with the same number of decimal places up to two decimal places.
Round decimals with one decimal place to the nearest whole number.
Recognise and write decimal equivalents to $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{3}{4}$
Find the effect of dividing a one or two digit numbers by 10 or 100

Money

Estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pounds and pence.
Solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals to two decimal places.

Time

Convert between different units of measure [for example, kilometre to metre; hour to minute]
Read, write and convert time between analogue and digital 12- and 24-hour clocks.
Solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes; minutes to seconds; years to months; weeks to days.



COMPUTING



Coding – Code.Org – Course D

In Computing this half term, the children will develop an understanding of algorithms, nested loops, while loops, conditionals, and events through the website Code.org.



P.E.



Cricket/Rounders (NUF)/Athletics

In P.E. this half term, we will be working with NUF on our cricket and rounders skills. Our other session will focus on athletics and we will improve our running, jumping and throwing skills.

RE

The Person of Jesus

In RE this half term, the children will be considering how the portrayal of Jesus has been established over many years. They will be exploring how people perceive Jesus and where their perceptions originate from.

MUSIC

Ukulele/Using Notation

In Music this half term, we will be continuing our skills with the ukulele with Mr Rudkin from the Newcastle Music Service and we will be representing notation using Charanga.

PSHE

Relationships

In PSHE this half term, the children will be looking at a variety of relationships including those with friends, family and online and how to establish trust and respect within these.

SPANISH

Animals and Pets

In Spanish this half term, we will be looking at the names for common animals and pets as well as how to describe them and say whether or not we own pets.

DESIGN TECHNOLOGY/ART

Pop up Books

In DT this half term we will be looking at how pop-up books are constructed using a range of mechanisms, before designing and constructing our own.