



Holy Family Curriculum Update - Autumn 2 2020

'Life Before the Internet'

RE	<p>Islam We are learning about different aspects of Islam. With the support of some of our own children, we will learn about Muhammad, who he was and his importance.</p> <p>Loving We will explore the concept of waiting in relation to the season of Advent. What are we waiting for? How does it feel to wait? Finally, we will learn about the wondrous Christmas story.</p>
English	<p>'The 3 Little Pigs'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - COLD TASK - write a letter - Teach the children the story with the actions - Read alternative versions of the story - Unpick the vocabulary and discuss the story - Hot seat characters and ask questions - Identify the features of an informal letter - Apply learning to write own letters <p>-HOT TASK - Can I write a letter to Father Christmas?</p> <p>Daily group reading in class. Daily RWI phonics.</p>
Maths	<p>The children will be continuing with their number work but beginning to focus on the skills of addition and subtraction. They will read, write and interpret mathematical statements involving +, - and = symbols. The children will represent number bonds and related subtraction facts to 20. They will add and subtract 1 and 2 digit numbers to 20, count to and across 100, forwards and backwards, from any given number. We will practise these skills using number lines, tracks and 100 squares. Watch 'Count and Get Fit' on YouTube.</p> <p>The children will be encouraged to count in 2s, 5s and 10s. They will learn about < > = symbols.</p> <p>We will be learning to use practical apparatus including multilink, straws and numicon to support their learning.</p> <p>Ongoing opportunities to learn about 3D shape.</p>
Science	<p>Materials We are going to be learning about the application of materials to a task. Which material would make the best window? Roof? Predict and apply learning.</p> <p>We will continue to look at seasonal changes associated with Autumn, but also consider the onset of winter. What is different? What do they notice?</p>
Topic	<p><u>Life Before the Internet</u></p> <p>Our topic will be underpinned by a collection of artefacts from the recent past, with a focus on communication. How did people communicate with each other before the mobile phone? What would children ask for at Christmas? How have things changed?</p> <p>In DT we'll investigate where our food has come from, leading on from our sandwiches, before designing and making Christmas crafts.</p> <p>We'll explore the local area via the school grounds to practise simple mapping skills.</p>
Computing	<p>The children will learn about our local community. We'll explore how to log onto a PC and develop simple mouse skills. The children will explore Google Earth and Maps to investigate our local area.</p>
PE	<p>Ball skills. We'll be practising our catching and throwing skills and applying them by playing team games. Yoga - we will explore flexibility and relaxation techniques.</p>
PSHCE	<p>Say no to bullying / Getting on and falling out This theme coincided with Anti-Bullying Week. We are exploring what makes a good friend, recognising how we feel and who to tell if we are not happy.</p>
Music	<p>Rhythm in the way we walk / Banana Rap The children will be learning how pulse, rhythm and pitch work together through singing and rapping!</p>