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Topic: Advent

Focus: Explore the ancestors of Jesus; descended from the House of David. Place the story of the first coming of Jesus into an historical context.

Topic: Christmas

Focus: Study the role of angels in the story of Christmas. Learn about Christians being messengers of Christ's Good News in the world today and how the Church celebrates the Feast of Christmas.

PSHE

Topic: Financial Education

Focus: How our financial decisions affect others and the environment.

D&T

Topic: Book sleeves (Textiles)

Focus: Children sew book sleeves using felt and explore different fastenings to ensure they can securely close their book sleeve.

Topic: Christmas biscuits (Cooking and nutrition)

Focus: Adapt a biscuit recipe to suit a target audience.

English – Writing (Non-chronological reports, story retells, non-fiction explanations)

Developing writing in both non-fiction and fiction genres, focusing on using apostrophes, direct speech, sophisticated similes and noun phrases.

Key texts: The Romans, Town Mouse, Country Mouse, The Lumberjacks Beard, The digestive system, Café in the woods.

English – Reading

Discussions, Book Talk and questions based around our class reader: The lion, the witch and the wardrobe.

Along with looking at linked extracts from Romulus and Remus by Rudyard Kipling, Tail End Charlie by Mick Manning, Ancient Rome BBC Film, Boudica: A Celtic Love song and No man's land by Eric Bogle.



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Remembrance Term

Catholic Social Teaching: Dignity of the Human Person
Values and Virtues – Learned and Wise



CST

Do human beings show each other that everyone is unique and equal? What more can we all do to show that everyone matters?

Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the unborn and the poor, are masterpieces of God's Creation...deserving of the utmost reverence and respect.' (Pope Francis)

Maths

Topic: Area

Focus: Understand what area is and how to find the area of a shape by counting the number of squares inside a shape on a grid.

Topic: Multiplication and Division

Focus: Learn and recall multiplication and division facts, multiply and divide by of 3, 6, 7, 9, 11 and 12 orally and multiply three numbers.

Music

Topic: Ukelele – The doot doot song

Focus: Learn how to play the ukelele in unison including how to pluck and strum the strings, play 4 simple chords and perform a song with peers.

Science

Topic: Animals including humans.

Focus: Explore teeth, the digestive system in humans and examine food chains.

Computing

Topic: Animation and Logo

Focus: Children are using software to create their own animations and logos. They will learn to understand the processes behind this.

Geography

Topic: Settlements

Focus: Study the needs of early settlers and how settlements changed over time. To use maps and map symbols to explore settlements and create own map of a settlement.

MFL

Topic: En Famille

Focus: To talk simply about your family in French.

PE

Topic: Swimming

Focus: Participate in swimming sessions at the Crystal Leisure Centre

Topic: Gymnastics

Focus: Practice a variety of floor and vault movements.