Choughs Class

Autumn 2021

Our Topic is:

Fossil Hunters



Learning across the Curriculum

English

- Non-fiction Biography of Mary Anning.
- Non-fiction Non-chronological reports on prehistoric mammals.
- Fiction How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth and Dear Dinosaur.
- Fiction Historical adventure stories based on Stone Age Boy.
- Poetry Dinosaur poems.
- Poetry Tongue twisters.
- Editing.

Mathematics

- Number: Place value.
- Number: Addition and Subtraction.
- Number: Multiplication and Division.

Religious Education

- What do Christians learn from the creation story?
- What is it like for someone to follow God?

PSHE

- Keeping/Staying Safe cycle safety.
- Keeping/Staying Healthy healthy living.
- Growing & Changing relationships.
- Mental and physical well-being.
- Emotional stability, self-regulation and self-soothing.
- Metacognition, growth mind-set and building resilience.
- Re-building friendships.
- Self-esteem and confidence.

Subject Key Skills

History

• Changes in Britain from the Stone-Age to the Iron-Age.

Geography

• Volcanoes and earthquakes.

Art & DT

- Plan, design and make models from observation or imagination.
- Join clay adequately and construct a simple base for extending and modelling other shapes.
- Create surface patterns and textures in a malleable material.
- Choose suitable techniques to construct products or to repair items.
- Strengthen materials using suitable techniques.
- Cut materials accurately and safely by selecting appropriate tools.
- Measure and mark out to the nearest millimetre.

<u>Music</u>

- How does music bring us closer together? country, baroque and pop music.
- What stories does music tell us about the past? - disco, jazz, film soundtracks and folk music.

Science

- Rocks comparing and grouping different kinds of rocks, describing how fossils are formed and recognising that soils are made from rocks and organic matter.
- Animals including humans identifying that animals, including humans, need the right types and amount of nutrition; identifying that humans and some other animals have skeletons and muscles for support, protection and movement.

Computing

- · Google Slides.
- Touch typing.

PE

- Striking/net games badminton.
- Multi-skills circuit training.
- Team games football.
- Dance.

MFL - Spanish

- Fruit and vegetables.
- Asking others to repeat phrases.
- A case study of a Spanish-speaking country.

English Curriculum Summer 2021

Choughs

Reading	<u>Writing</u>	Spelling, Punctuation and	<u>Oracy</u>
		<u>Grammar</u>	
_	<u>Fiction</u>		
 Stone Age Boy. How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth. Dear Dinosaur. First News and other newspaper reports. Topic-based reading in history, geography and science. Phyllis and the Fossil Finders. Cave Baby. 	 Instructions based on How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth. Letter writing based on Dear Dinosaur. Historical adventure story based on Stone Age Boy. Non-Fiction Biography of Mary Anning. Non-chronological reports on prehistoric mammals. 	 Nouns, adjectives, verbs and adverbs. Synonyms and antonyms. Conjunctions. Prepositions. Imperative verbs. Paragraphs. Full stops, question marks, exclamation marks and capital letters. Bullet points. Punctuating direct speech. Apostrophes for contraction. 	 Giving reasons to support their views and opinions. Respecting others' opinions. Drama. Performing poetry.
VIPERS FocusVocabulary.Predict.	 Poetry Dinosaur poems and poetic vocabulary. Tongue twisters. 		