


'Life in all its fullness' John 10:10

<p style="text-align: center;">Reading</p> <p>As readers, we will be reading <i>'The Escape Room'</i> by Christopher Edge. This is an adventure story where we will be improving our reading skills using decoding, explaining, retrieving and interpreting the text.</p> <p>Please listen to your child read and record their home reading in their Reading Record.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Writing</p> <p>As writers, we will be exploring writing using our new approach to writing allowing the children to have experience days and discussions around a genre. We will be looking at 'The journey' by Francesca Sanna as a narrative and 'Everest' as a non-chronological report. In our writing we will be encouraging the children to upskill their vocabulary, use a variety of grammar and refine the skills of editing and proofreading.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p> <p>As mathematicians, we will explore place value up to 10,000,000 across several resources, using our four operations effectively and exploring fractions. Within each unit we will identify methods we can use; reason and problem solve.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">RE</p> <p>In R.E. this term, we will consider how people of faith celebrate and express their beliefs. We will identify the importance of symbolism and will be able to describe different forms of worship and spiritual expression and explain where they might take place. We will visit a local church to conduct a Christmas Carol Service.</p> <p>Our core Christian values are RESPECT and FREINDSHIP this term and so we will be learning more about living our values.</p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  <p>KESTREL class Termly Curriculum Overview Autumn term 2023</p> </div>	<p style="text-align: center;">PSHE</p> <p>In PSHE, we will look at 'Me and My Relationships' where we will explore friendships, conflict resolution, being assertive, understanding commitment and loyalty and recognising what inappropriate behaviours may look like. This is an important unit and will prepare the children for knowing what is acceptable in society.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Geography</p> <p>As geographers, we will be able to look at the United Kingdom and understand the landscape and how the land is used. We will be making comparisons to other countries and explore how the landscape and climate can have an impact on society.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Science</p> <p>As scientists, we will be investigating materials and their properties and exploring how they can change between states of liquid, solid and gas. We will also compare, and group materials based on more complex properties such as hardness, solubility, transparency, conductivity and response to magnets. We will also be looking at space and the planets and how the world rotates and the impact it has on us on earth.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">History</p> <p>We will be exploring the Victorian Era looking at a variety of aspects of Victorian life. We will research the impact the Victorian era has had on modern society with a focus on a Victorian Christmas and experience a day as a Victorian.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Art</p> <p>As artists this term, we will appraise and analyse art through the eyes of the artist Giacometti, focusing on formal elements and techniques used with artwork. We will analyse, practise and consolidate these skills then apply them to our own pieces of art work when we create our own piece using wire and paper.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Computing</p> <p>As digital citizens, the children will be learning how about how computers can be connected together to form systems and how information is transferred over the internet. We will contribute to a shared project online and evaluate different ways of working together online. We will be looking at website design, what make a good website and the importance of not using fabricated information as part of your design.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Music</p> <p>As musicians, the children will be furthering their knowledge and understanding of musical theory. Children will be learning about musical notation, the tonality of a piece of music, different musical styles, and the keys they are played in as well as being able to listen and appraise the song, Children will also have the opportunity to explore and play a variety of instruments.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">PE/ Sport</p> <p>In PE we will experience a range of evasion games learning skills that will improve movement, balance, agility, stamina and collaborative working. We will also have the opportunity to attend Surf school with Big Blue this term. After school clubs will include Football, Gymnastics and Tennis.</p>		

