

ENGLISH



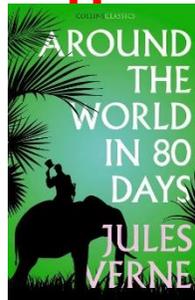
WRITING

Explanation Texts- writing about 'How to fly a Hot Air Balloon', 'How to travel the World in 80 days' and 'How to look after Phileas Fogg'.

Fiction Genres - A range of short stories conveying different genres; a genre-swap story (where the genre changes from one paragraph to the next).

READING

We will be reading Jules Verne's classic – Around the world in 80 days as our key text.



COMPUTING

This topic is a chance to explore the world of coding using Scratch! We will be creating sprites and looking at how we can code sprites to do different things. Why not spend time exploring Scratch at home?

<https://scratch.mit.edu/>



PE

Outdoor PE- Tennis

Indoor PE – Dance with Wannado Dance (Kerri)



MUSIC

We will continue learning the Ukulele and also spend time singing together as a class. We will explore composing music to accompany a Hot Air Balloon flight.



ART

The art for the topic is HOT AIR BALLOONS! We are looking at 3D modelling; using a variety of skills and tools to create our own hot air balloon designs. The Argentinean artist we are researching is Tomás Saraceno and he has produced a fascinating project called Aerocene which we will be learning about. There will be lots of opportunities to get creative with our hands and experiment with new ideas!



YEAR 6 SPRING 2

AROUND THE WORLD IN 30 DAYS



RE

The main focus in RE this half-term is the Death & New Life topic which takes us through Lent all the way up to Holy Week. We look at the Church's season of Lent, Holy Week and Easter; how the suffering, death and resurrection of Jesus lead to new life.

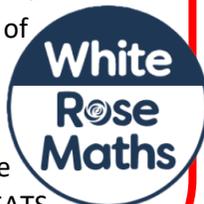


MATIS

Area, Perimeter & Volume - Learning about solving areas of triangles and parallelograms, working out perimeters of various 2D shapes and focusing on volumes of cuboids!

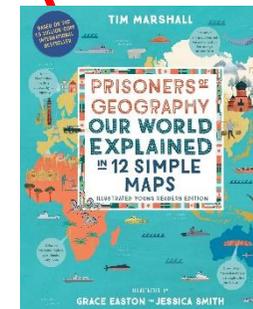
Ratio - Learning about what ratio is, how it links with fractions, the way you can scale up or down 2D shapes with ratio and also working out ratios of different amounts.

We have also built in some consolidation weeks to revisit the previous topics to get ready for SATS.



GEOGRAPHY

We will start our topic learning all about the Tropics of Cancer & Capricorn, thinking about how Time Zones work and finding out what the largest desert in the world is (it's not as obvious as you might think). We move on to focusing on human and physical geography, looking in detail at what these types of geography are, how they are represented in the cities that Phileas Fogg travels to and comparing/contrasting these features across these different cities. Our key text for these lessons will be Prisoners of Geography by Tim Marshall.



SCIENCE

Our focus for this half-term is electricity! We will be learning all about circuits, symbols, volts and doing some exciting investigations using wires, bulbs, batteries, motors and buzzers!

