



How you can support your child at home:



Encourage them to read – anything and everything!

Look at Google Classroom regularly; the expectation is that all students complete home-learning

Make sure your child has the right equipment with them everyday (pen, pencil, ruler etc.)

Art:

Hundertwasser Houses: Students will learn to design and paint a house inspired by the work of Hundertwasser

Computer Science:

Mobile App Development: students will use App Lab and will be able to plan an Computer Science: app and understand user input and output, screen design and block programming

Drama:

Wacky Soap: Students will learn about the theatre in education and how it can be used to explore social issues that young people might face

English:

Sherlock Holmes: Students continue to learn about scientific developments in the Victorian era, class, society and duality.

Geography:

Middle East and Resources: students will learn about human reactions with deserts and link to how some people in the Middle East live in desert conditions

History:

Do we really deserve to be called 'Great' Britain?: students will learn about slavery and the Atlantic Trade System. Students will explore the concepts of prejudice and exploitation

Mandarin:

Students have now learned the basics of Mandarin, including tones, stroke order and radicals. They will now start to build up their vocabulary, asking how old someone is, finding out their name and learning to talk about various members of their family.

Maths:

Students will study: multiplication and division and perimeter and area. They will be learning about working in the Cartesian plane, representing data and tables and probability

Music:

History (Western Classical Music): students will learn how to perform as a member of an ensemble

Personal Development:

Celebrating Difference: students will study how positive behaviour affects feelings of wellbeing. They will also look at social injustice, inequality, community and support

PE:

Students will complete a range of activities in games and PE such as rugby, football, basketball, netball, fitness and badminton

RE:

What is it like to be a Buddhist? : students will explore the concept of 'truth' and will carry out a case study of the Dalai Lama

Science:

Students will study: Forces: contact forces and pressure Matter: periodic table and elements Organisms: breathing and digestion

Technology:

Students will rotate through 3 subject areas: Food: students will continue to develop their practical skills while learning about cultural eating, Graphics: students will create a book sleeve and Wood: students will create a working automata