

CLASS 2

St. John's School
Rishworth



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Curriculum Newsletter

Term 1 - 2017

This information is given to help parents and carers to support the work their children are doing in school. If you are planning a visit to the library or a bookshop there are ideas on what you could choose. If you are arranging a visit to an attraction, you might get some ideas. Alternatively if you are working together on the computer you can search for useful web sites.



SCIENCE: Ourselves

We will be looking at photos to see how we have changed. We will name different body parts and learn how we can keep our bodies healthy. We will also be looking at exercise and important foods.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION: Games/Dance

We will be practising our ball skills. Can you kick and dribble and throw and catch? What skills do you need to play team games? In dance we will be making up dances to stories through music.

COMPUTING: Purple Mash/Creating Pictures

We will be learning to log on to purple mash and how to use technology safely. We will also be using software to create different pictures.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL EDUCATION: New Beginnings and Staying Safe

We will be learning about how we belong to our school community and how to use good manners. We will also learn about keeping safe on the roads and keeping healthy.

HISTORY: Florence Nightingale

Who was Florence Nightingale? We will be learning about her life and comparing her to other famous nurses like Mary Seacole and Edith Cavell.

MUSIC : Hands, Feet and Heart

We will be singing songs about ourselves and will be looking at high and low sounds with different instruments. We will use untuned percussion and some glockenspiels.

R.E.: Why are we special to God?

We are thinking about the things that make us special: our names, our faces and things that we can do. We will be learning how Christians believe we are all special to God and finding out more about God.



ART: Portraits

We will be painting portraits and learning more about different portrait artists. We will learn to mix colours. We will create different styles of paintings.

DESIGN TECHNOLOGY: Vegetable Soup

We will be making our own vegetable soup using vegetables from the school garden.

NATIVITY: COMING SOON TO A SCHOOL HALL NEAR YOU.

We will be practising for this year's Nativity: Jesus' Christmas Party.