

This is what your child will be learning in school. As always, we welcome your support and encourage you to talk and explore some of these with your child at home.

Maths

This term in maths, we are focusing on Time, Shape, Statistics and Position.

Help your child to read the time and manage their time at home. Do they know what time they wake up? Go to bed? How long it takes to get to school or a friend's house?

Please encourage your child to access TTRockstar and Sumdog – they are great programmes to reinforce learning.

History

After visiting Eden camp, pupils will timeline events that happened during WW2. They will then compare life of a soldier in WW2 to that of today.

Talk to your child about the roles of family members during the war.

Geography

Pupils will be learning about counties, cities and coast lines. They will learn why coral reefs need protecting and how to do this.

Look at a map with your child, how many places in the UK has your child been too? How many cities? Places on the coast?

Spanish

Hola! This term, we will be learning to talk about likes and dislikes with links to our hobbies.

RE

This term we will be exploring how stories from the Bible help Christians make choices.

Visit one of the churches in Pontefract and view the stained glass windows from outside.

Science

Animals including humans. Pupils will explore food chains, our teeth and our digestive system.

Check your child brushes their teeth for the recommended 2 minutes twice a day. Do they know why this is important?

Our Castle by the Sea

Art

With a focus on stencilling, we will create a piece of Art in the style of Banksy. **Have a go at home! Create a stencil to make a piece of art!**

Computing

Pupils will create a presentation on PowerPoint to share knowledge of WW2. **Use GoogleSlides online to create your own presentation.**

PSHE

Pupils will learn about First Aid, changes to our body during puberty and legal and illegal substances. **Talk to your child about what will happen during puberty.**

Music

Pupils will rehearse and perform a song called Bringing Us Together. **Encourage your child to enter HPL Got Talent competition!**

PE

In PE, children will be developing handball and tennis skills. They will also be taking part in athletic events for our school sports day.

Year 4 – Term 6



English

This term in English we are reading:

Our Castle by the Sea by Lucy Strange



Our writing is linked to this book- we will be writing a diary and developing our descriptive writing.

Spelling, Grammar and punctuation is taught daily and will focus on word class, punctuation for speech and figurative language.

DT

Pupils will be designing and creating a lighthouse with a working switch and lightbulb. **How many different types of switches and lightbulbs can your child find?**

Homework:

Reading - all students are expected to read 4 times a week and ensure it is recorded in planners.

English & Maths – all students are expected to complete this in their homework books and hand in every Monday.

Spellings- 10 words per week (Friday test)