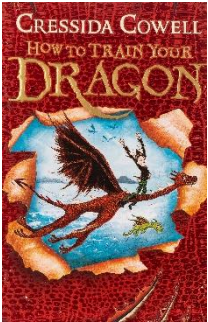
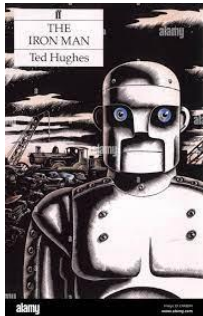




St. Andrew's CE (VA) Junior School

Year 4 Summer 1 Curriculum Overview

Key learning this half term

Literacy	Maths	Religious Education
<p>This half term we will be reading the text <i>How to Train your Dragon</i> by Cressida Cowell and <i>Iron Man</i> by Ted Hughes.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;">   </div> <p>We will write character descriptions and letters in the style of a character. We will also focus on writing instructional texts and look at inference and comprehension style activities. We will also cover story writing.</p> <p>Our grammar focus will be on the correct use of verbs in a sentence, inverted commas and prepositions.</p>	<p>We will be learning about hundredths on a place value grid and dividing 1 or 2-digit numbers by 100. We will write order and compare decimals. We will also round decimals to the nearest whole number and focus on halves and quarters and their decimal equivalents.</p> <p>After the focus on decimals, we will build on this by looking at money. We will look at pounds and pence and order amounts of money. We will then estimate money. We will also add and subtract using money and work out the correct change.</p> <p>We will recap telling the time to the nearest minute. We will also look at measurements of time (E.g. seconds, minutes, days, weeks). We will also look at converting analogue time to digital time.</p> <p>There will be a statutory multiplication tables check in Summer 2. In order to prepare for this, we will continue to practise our times tables.</p>	<p>We will be asking the question, What does it mean to be a Hindu in Britain today?</p> <p>We will explore the importance of deities to Hindus and learn how they are celebrated. We will learn how Hindus prepare for important festivals and why they are so significant to their lives</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW THAT:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Hindus believe that all living things are special and sacred. - There are several Hindu deities that are represented in different forms. - Diwali is an important festival. - Mandir is the name of the Hindu place of worship.

We are also studying:

Science	Geography	PSHE	Music	Art
<p>We will be learning about sound.</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW THAT: volume and pitch are different and how we can change them. They will know that sound can be recorded in decibels and will know the conditions needed for sound to be created and heard.</p>	<p>We will be learning about our locality by doing a study of our community.</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW: how to calculate the length of a journey using digi-maps, facts about the physical and human features of our locality and how to use grid references on maps.</p>	<p>We will be learning about relationships.</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW: how friendships change, know how to make new friends and how to manage when they fall out with my friends. They will know how to identify someone they love and explain how they are special.</p>	<p>We will be learning a new song called Blackbird by The Beatles.</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW : How to confidently identify and move to the pulse. They will also be able to talk about the musical dimensions working together songs eg if the song gets louder in the chorus (dynamics).</p>	<p>We will be learning about printmaking and digital art.</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW: what pointillism is and how to use it in their artwork. They will know who Georges Seurat is and how to emulate his work They will know how to use pixel art.</p>
PE	British Values	Christian Value	Swimming	Reminders
<p>We will be applying physical skills</p> <p>PUPILS WILL KNOW: How to develop their reflexes, response and reaction skills by participating in group games and partner work with balls.</p>	<p>We will be thinking about the Rule of Law.</p> <p>We will look at the importance of rules and define what laws are. We will also look at why laws are important for others to follow and what happens when laws and rules are broken.</p>	<p>We will be thinking about creation.</p> <p>We will discuss the importance of Christians' beliefs around creation. We will look at the Old Testament and how the stories help shape Christians' beliefs.</p>	<p>Swimming will continue to take place for Italy on Tuesday afternoons and Canada on Thursday afternoons.</p>	<p>Please ensure:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - your child reads for 20 minutes every day and record this in their planner. - PE kit follows the guidance as set out on page 6 of the planner. - your child goes on TT Rockstars for 10 minutes every day.