

Homework

Regular Reading

Times Tables- TTRS

PE Days for Autumn 1

Monday and Friday

Trips, Visitors & Important Dates

Date	
6th Nov	Museum trip



Curriculum Guide

Sycamore Class

Autumn 1 2026

Mr Hanns-Drake

Ready

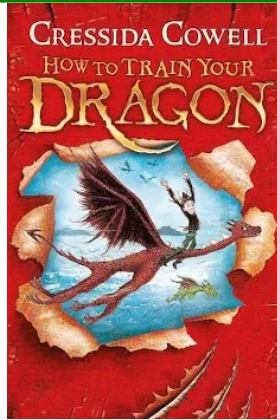
Respectful

Safe

English

How to train your dragon

We will be using the novel How to train your dragon to inspire our writing. We will be writing a first person narrative as a character from the story. We will also be writing a non-chronological report about dragons, using the facts we have learnt from the book.



Music- Rivers

Pupils as they explore how musical elements can depict the journey of a river, enhancing their understanding of classical music. It introduces key vocabulary and concepts such as pitch, tempo, dynamics, harmony, ostinato, and a cappella, helping pupils grasp how variations in these elements convey different moods and narratives.

Science

Skeletal and muscular systems

Pupils will use their scientific enquiry to explore the different types of bones that make up the human body. They will think of some questions that we can find the answer to throughout the unit of work. We will look into the different pairs of muscles needed for different movements of limbs. Pupils will learn the different types of joints that some limbs have.

White Rose Maths

Place value

Maths will see a start point of place value and the ability to identify numbers to 1000/ 10,000. Pupils will be taught how to identify specific digit values and how to write the numbers.

Further teaching will include partition, flexible partitioning, rounding and addition/ subtraction of 4 digit and 4 digit numbers.

Jigsaw PSHE

Being me in my world

Pupils will develop listening and sharing skills whilst learning about becoming a class team and what being a citizen in school means.

They will learn about democracy alongside different rights everyone have.

History and Geography

Ancient Egypt and Rivers

Pupils will be learning about Ancient Egypt and Rivers through lots of story telling. Pupils will learn a wealth of new vocabulary and be able to understand and use it in context. In History, pupils will learn about Howard Carter and his discovery, what life was like in ancient Egypt and the Gods they worshiped. In Geography, pupils will learn about the features of a river, the specific features of the river Indus and its importance to the people who live by it and they will learn about the river Severn and conservation.

Physical Education

Tag rugby

With supported delivery from Plymouth Argyle, we will be learning about invasion skills and putting them into practice through games of tag rugby. Pupils will become familiar with the rules and skills needed for this sport.

Art

Ancient art

Pupils will create artwork in their sketch books that shows their ability to use ancient art skills to create their own paints, draw outlines of animals and create their own cave wall to draw on. Pupils will use natural materials for paint such as cabbage and beetroot.

Religious Education

Hinduism- Rama and Sita

Pupils will learn about Hinduism, starting off by learning the story of Rama and Sita. This learning will be supported by lots of story telling to ensure the learning is brought to life. Pupils will go on to learning about other important Hindu stories and the traditions that are important to Hindus.