

SHARKS' CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

AUTUMN 2 - HEARTY HAMBLEDON!

Literacy

Our Literacy this half term will link to our 'Hearty Hambleton' History topic. In our first module on legends, the children will be reading a range of legends, and exploring and identifying the key features of this genre. This will lead to them writing their own legend which will be set in the village of Hambleton. In our non-fiction unit on instructions, the children will be writing various sets of instructions for a range of purposes. In our grammar and spelling lessons, we will be focussing on synonyms, writing in the past tense and exploring the use of conjunctions in sentences.

Maths

In Maths this half term, we will be recognising place value in four digit numbers and using diagrams to show equivalent fractions. In our unit on shape, we will be identifying and describing the properties of 2D shapes, including their number of sides and lines of symmetry. We will also be solving a range of word problems using all four operations.

Music

In Music, we will be continuing to play the ukulele in our lessons with Mrs Harmer. We will also be learning a French Christmas song ready for the nativity play.

PE

In PE this half term, we will be learning how to play Tri-golf. We will also be using the hall for our gymnastic lessons.



Science

In Science, we will continue to learn about the body. We will be exploring the different food groups and how they keep us healthy. We will also compare and contrast the diets of different animals.

History

History will be our lead subject this half term, as children explore the historical changes that have taken place in the village of Hambleton throughout the preceding centuries. Using a variety of primary and secondary sources, the children will uncover key events in the village's history. Throughout this topic, we hope to make visits to the village and talk to local residents.

Art

In Art, we will be exploring the medium of press printing. The children will first design an image that they feel depicts Hambleton. They will then use this image to create a series of prints.

RE

In RE this half term, we will be exploring the concept of angels as we prepare for the Christmas season.

ICT

In our ICT lessons, we will be taking photographs of Hambleton. We will then be using a program called 'Paint net' to make changes to them.