

Hawthorn Class 2025/26

Spring 1

Topic: Our Local Area

Maths: White Rose 'small steps' Spring 1 includes:

Year 3 and 4 Multiplication will continue for both year groups helping to building connections and understanding of methods..

These skills will then be applied when looking into length and perimeter.

Towards the end of term both year groups will move on to thinking about fractions

English:

Our focus text for Spring 1 is The Accidental Prime Minister by Tom McLaughlin

In WCR, we will develop fluency and comprehension skills by reading together, discussing vocabulary and looking at how the author builds the characters.

The book will also provide models and ideas for creating our own characters, writing dialogues and imagining what we would do if we became Prime Minister of Woodchester.

Art : Sculpture

Creating sculpture from a range of materials through carving, forming and joining shapes.



History: Local Area Study

What should we preserve in our local area?

We will be using maps, websites and getting out and about to look for special buildings and considering if and how they can be preserved for the future.

Science: Forces and Magnets

We will consolidate previous learning around forces and friction before moving onto exploring magnets and how they are used

French

Instruments and the verb 'to play'

PSHE: Safety

We will be :

Discussing how to seek help if I need to.
Exploring what to do if an adult makes me feel uncomfortable.
Learning about the benefits and risks of sharing information online.
Discussing the benefits of being a non-smoker.

Music: Developing Singing

Our focus will be following and learning lyrics and rhythmic notations leading to a group performance.

R.E:

What kind of world did Jesus want?

This will be explored through reading parables and looking for advice as to how to treat others. We will also look at the roles of religious leaders in the Christian Church.

P.E:

Swimming will be on Tuesday morning
Class PE will remain on Wednesday afternoon focussing on Ultimate Frisbee.

Computing: Systems and Networks

Collaborative Learning through the use of digital surveys.