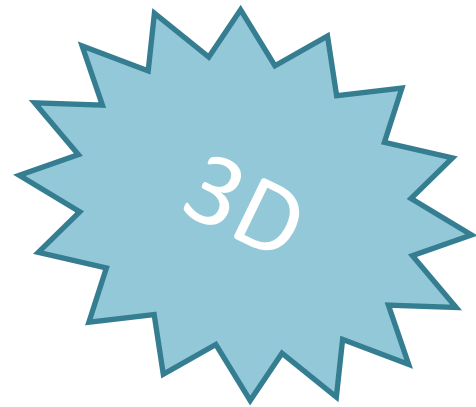


Lighthouse
School Leeds
Inspiring Bright Futures ...

What we are learning

Spring 1



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English

Treasure Island Pirate brother by Pete Johnson Message in a bottle Recounts Diary entries Sequencing and retelling a story SPAG focus - speech

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Maths

We will be working around the topic of 'Our Environment' which will include Number, Measurement and Data Handling. Lessons will include some of the following: recognising numbers in the environment, knowing what numbers mean in the environment, using a phone, recognising door numbers, number plates, receipt and order reference numbers, knowing own address, using measurements in the kitchen, planting/ counting seeds, measuring soil, full empty half watering cans, measuring ourselves and items around school, vehicle surveys and measuring growth of plants/flowers etc. As usual, we will be completing cross curricula work with English and Science, A very busy half term!

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Science

Students will be studying a module on the human body (microbes and diseases) and survival (separating mixtures) this is a cross curricular project with other subjects in school. In science they will learn about separating mixtures, and about how diseases are caused and spread.

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Computing

In Computing this half term, we will be learning about how computers work. We will look at computer hardware and software and identify the functions of some of these.

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Employability

In Employability this half term, we will identify and investigate a number of different job roles. We will also research job roles and career paths of people we know. We will also continue to use Start Profile to look at jobs that may be a destination in the future.

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Food Technology

In Food this half term, students will be developing new practical skills whilst building confidence and expanding their knowledge of hygiene and safety principles. We will be learning more about healthy eating, using The Eatwell Guide, and evaluating work. Students will be given the opportunity to try new foods.

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Creative Carousel

During Drama this term, students will be learning about and working on the core skills that help them to improve their acting abilities. Skills such as maintaining eye contact, voice projection and expression will be practiced and refined. Students will also participate in Drama games to help improve communication and learning to learn skills.

All functional groups will be engaging with music through the topic 'our environment'. We are undertaking work related to the seasons and nature. The students are looking at the work of vivaldi and learning about dynamics, using instruments to represent weather changes.

KS3 art has focussed on Art Styles and Movements this term. POP ART, CUBISM and OBSERVATIONAL DRAWING As part of Art program of study for key stage 3, pupils have explored visual, tactile and other sensory experiences to communicate ideas and meanings. Students work with traditional and new media, developing confidence and competence. This unit has been devised as part of the Art National Curriculum; the unit covers Art and Design, Shape, Line, Tone, Colour, Texture, Pattern, Collage and Observational Drawing.

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PE

Whilst developing skills specific to Hockey, we will also have the intention of improving the following; independence, social skills and relationships, health and fitness, graceful in victory and defeat

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PHSCE

This half term the students focus is on Me, Myself and Others. Pupils learn about what makes themselves and others special, learn about roles and responsibilities at home and school and learn how to co-operate.

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Wellbeing

Students will be learning what are public and private behaviours, understand where is public and private and be able to name body parts appropriately. Students will learn about the meaning of consent and be confident to say 'no' in uncomfortable and dangerous situations. Resources from the NSPCC will be used to aid students understanding (PANTS project).

Students will also have a half term focus on understanding empathy in their small group sessions.

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SaLT

Students will be working on appropriate interactions with others vocabulary development, identifying emotions, and building on 'learning to learn' skills, such as looking, listening and taking turns.

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Community

The group have been attending the local community cafe each week. Within this trip they have been working on identifying the correct amounts of money for their items, queuing appropriately and sharing appropriate independent leisure activities with peers in the cafe.

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