History

The children will be looking into the history of Cheselbourne school and what the school was like to attend in the past. If you know anyone who attended Cheselbourne Village School in the past and would be happy to come in and talk to the children about their experience, please let me know.

The children will also be looking at how Cheselbourne Village has changed over the past 100 years. So again, if you have any books or information about the history of Cheselbourne and its surrounding area, I would love to hear from you.

Art

The children will be looking at the way different artists draw and paint landscapes and cityscapes, particularly Monet, Van Gogh and Metzinger. The children will have a go at painting landscapes and cityscapes in the style of different artists before having a go at painting the landscape of our beautiful countryside surrounding Cheselbourne in their own style.

R.E

In RE the children will be finding out why Muslims visit the Mosque and thinking about whether this gives them a sense of belonging. They will learn about the features of a Mosque and contemplate what gives themselves a sense of belonging in their own culture.

Science

The children will be learning to identify animals and to classify them according to whether they are a mammal, reptile, or amphibian etc. They will also be learning about what animals eat and the correct terms for the male, female and offspring of an animal.

After the half term we will be learning about climate change, recycling, ways to save energy, deforestation, saving water and endangered animals!

English

The children will be applying all their knowledge they have learnt this year about spelling, punctuation and grammar to write a description of a bog baby, a short story that overcomes a problem, a recount after visiting a farm, and a report about the history of Cheselbourne School based on what they find out in their history lessons. We are hoping to finish our class text of The Magic Faraway Tree and will be continuing to enjoy a range of poetry.

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Mathematics

The Year 2 children will be revising all mathematics ahead of their end of KS1 SATS exams. Year 1 will be working with numbers within 100 and learning methods to add and subtract larger numbers.

After the half term both year groups will be learning how to apply their skills to solve maths problems and real-life maths investigations.

Computing

The children will be recapping the rules for staying safe on the internet and looking at different methods of messaging and considering their advantages and disadvantages They will then be composing and uploading an article for our school Facebook page.

Geography

The children will be learning about our local area Cheselbourne and its neighbouring villages. They will be looking closely at maps of the school and the surrounding area, at what kind of human features are around (houses) and learning how to use a compass. They will be having a go at drawing maps to show the routes that they take to get to school.

Design & Technology

The class will be learning about where our food comes from, particularly in the context of a British farm. We are hoping to then have a visit to local farm to see this in action. They will also be learning how to prepare food safely before cooking or eating.

P.S.H.E

The children will have many opportunities to think and reflect as they do every term. Each week children can share their thoughts or ideas on our weekly thinking focus.

Music / Drama

The children will be learning lots of songs and having roles to play in our summer production!

PE & Games

The children will be practising their ball skills on Wednesdays with Mr Voss by playing games like cricket and rounders, and having athletics and Sports Day practice with Mr Daily on Fridays