Class: Seahorses

Barndale Learning Plan

Term: Autumn 2













Communication, Language & Literacy

In Literacy this half term, we will be exploring poetry through our main book, The Darkest Dark by Chris Hadfield.

We will think about dreams, space, and facing fears, and use these ideas to write our own poems using rhythm and descriptive language.



Numeracy & Problem Solving

We will be learning about addition and subtraction, using different methods to solve problems. We will practise adding and subtracting in different ways and use our reasoning skills to explain our answers. We will also challenge ourselves to build a deeper understanding of numbers.

Computing

How can we use grouping and sorting to help us organise

information?

This half term we will explore how computers can group

and sort data to make it easier to find and understand

information.

The Arts

Science

How does the Earth, Sun, and Moon affect life on our planet?

This half term we will learn about the Earth, Sun, and Moon. We will explore how the Earth moves to create day and night, how the Moon orbits the Earth, and how the Sun affects seasons and life on our planet. We will use our observations and ideas to understand more about space and our place in it.

Past & Present

Humanities

Are there any castles near where we live? What is their history?

This term in Humanities, we will be learning about castles - exploring their past and present in our local area. We'll discover why castles were built, how they were run, and who lived in them. We'll also compare what castles looked like when they were first built to how they appear today.

How can we use creativity to design things that look colourful and taste

This half term in Art and Design Technology we will explore how creativity can be used in both artwork and food. In Art, we will dive into Colour Chaos, experimenting with mixing colours, using different materials, and expressing our ideas through bold and vibrant designs.

PSHE, Enrichment & Ways to Wellbeing

What makes us unique, and how can we celebrate our differences?

In PSHE, we will learn about celebrating difference. We will think about what makes each of us special, how people's lives and experiences can be different, and how we can show respect and kindness to everyone in our class and community.

Therapeutic Input

Alongside any physio, SaLT, and Thrive sessions we will be working to identify tools that help us regulate and build our regulation toolkits.

Physical Education

How can we use our bodies to stay calm, strong and balanced?

This half term in P.E. we will be exploring yoga. We will learn how to use stretching, balance and breathing to help us build strength, focus and flexibility.