

English

An exciting element of English this term will be in anticipation of our school production. We are all very excited to show off what we have been practicing.

Along with this we will be reading through short stories as **readers** with a focus on comprehension and language skills. As **writers**, we will be completing a piece of story writing, looking to develop how we can create an effect for the reader; this will involve plenty of descriptive writing to 'set a scene'. We will then be working on persuasive writing to deliver speeches to the class, looking to build confidence and again consider another way in which we can engage and move a listener.

Our grammar and spelling work will be revising the spelling patterns that we have looked at this year and various word classes.

Changing Me Priory Class Curriculum Map Term 6, 2021-2022



Maths

As **mathematicians**, we are exploring how to use statistics, collecting data into a table and presenting data using graphs such as bar charts. This will also involve interpreting the collected data to make comparisons. This will be partnered with the work we complete in science, as this will necessitate that we measure our pulse as data to enter into a table.

We will also be looking at coordinate grids, this will involve looking at identifying coordinates, translating points and shapes and reflecting shapes in a mirror line.

Science

Our topic this term is Changing Me. This involves studying bodily systems, such as the circulatory and digestive system, and discovering why these systems are vital to human life. We will also be looking at the changes that we go through from birth to old age, as a result we will be discussing puberty with the Year 5s and Year 6s separately. Our scientific enquiry focus is setting up and carrying out a fair test: Year 5 will look at conducting a fair test and measuring their results accurately. Year 6s will be going further than this, using their results to make predictions that will set up further comparative and fair tests.

Art

As **artists**, we are developing sketching techniques in a study of portraits across time. We will make a focused study of different facial features and refine our sketching techniques to draw with accuracy.

PE

As **athletes**, we are developing batting skills, working on techniques to effectively play games such as cricket and rounders. We will be working on improving our ability to work as a team to play the role of pitcher as well.

PSHE

In PSHE sessions we will be exploring the changes that the children will be going through, linking with our science work. It will be very important for the children to reflect upon what is good about themselves, their self-image and self-esteem looking at self-reassuring techniques. We will also be exploring how the human body changes as we grow older and go through puberty. Year 5s will consider how to look after themselves physically and emotionally, and will begin to understand that the ways in which the body changes during puberty prepares the body for reproduction through sexual intercourse. Year 6s will be looking at these areas in further detail, learning about the changes that their bodies will go through, where babies come from and relationships